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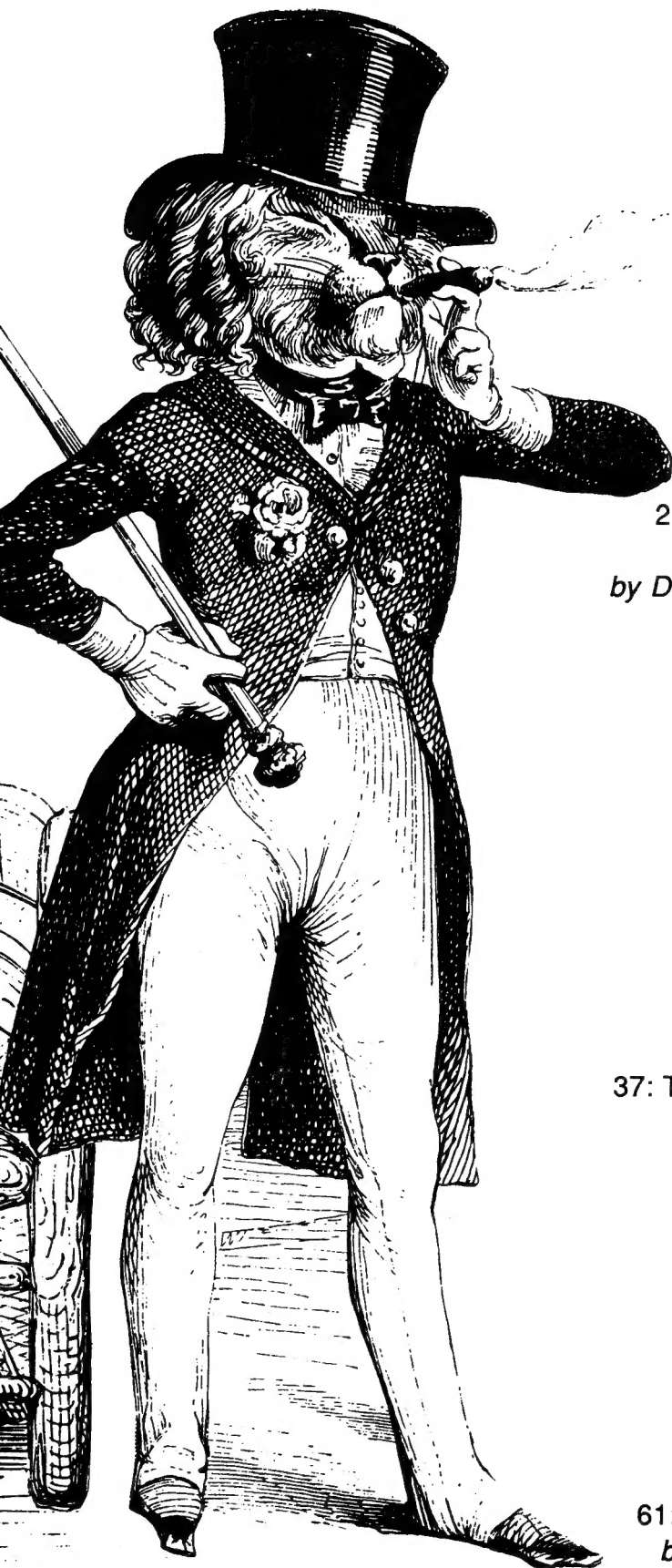
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OF
CRUELTY

PRESENTS:

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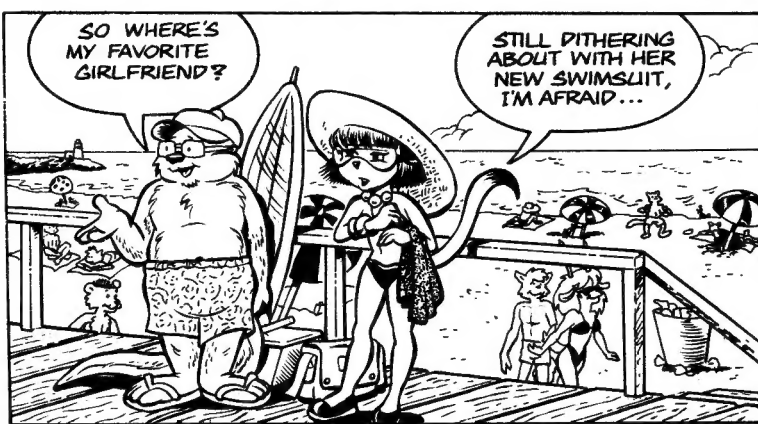
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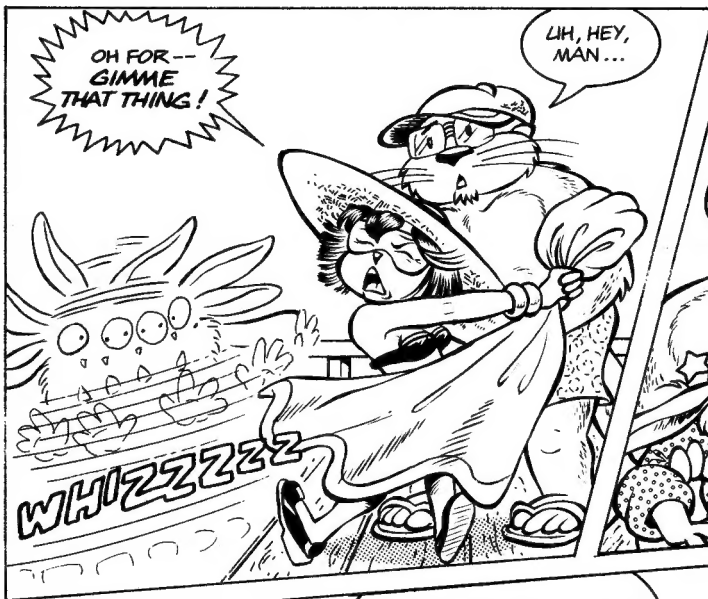
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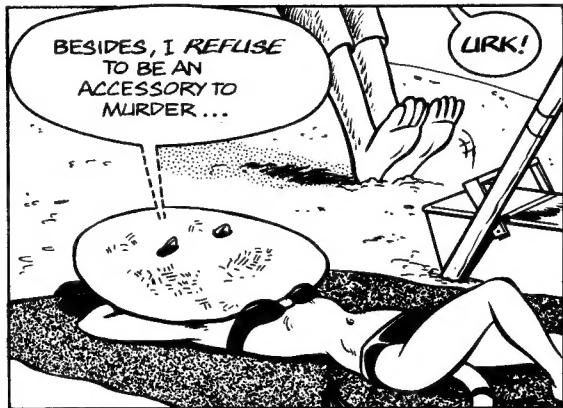
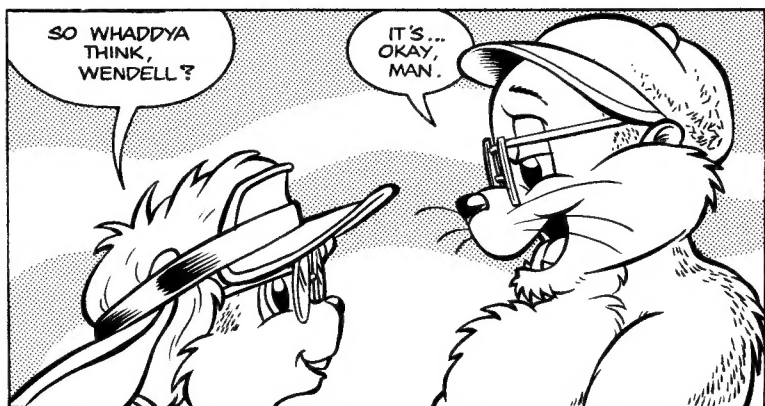
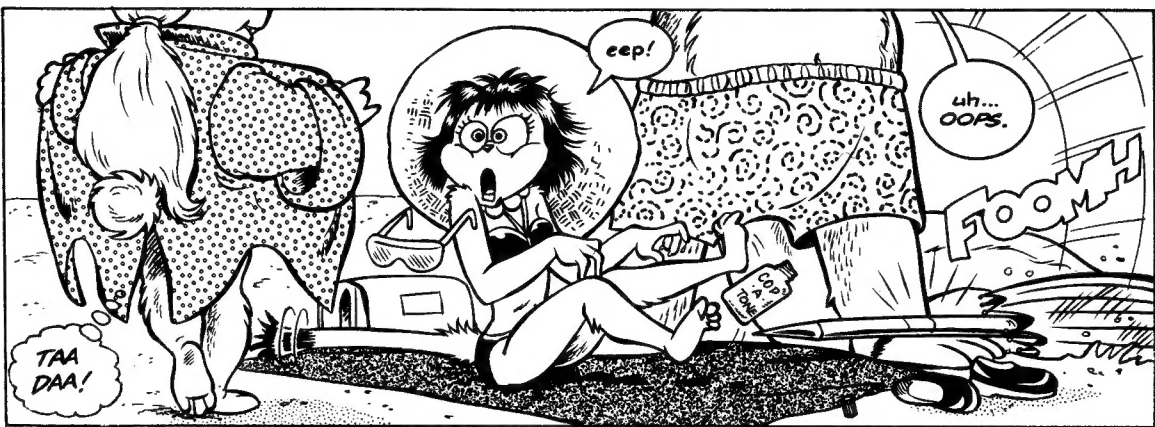


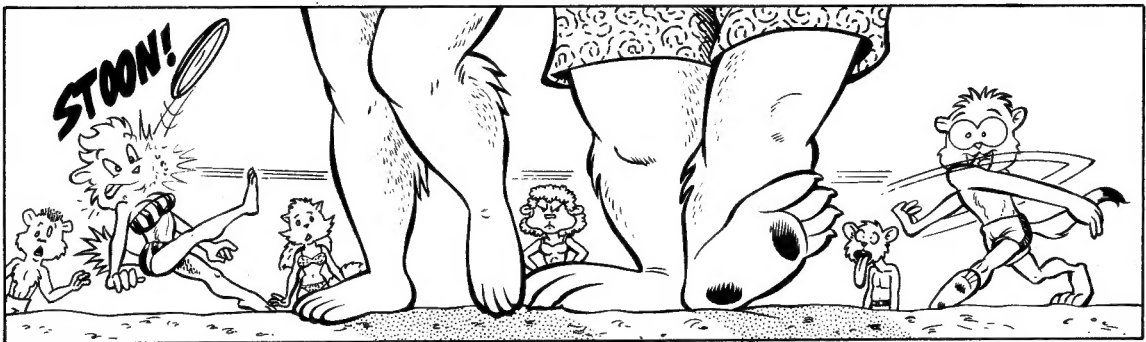
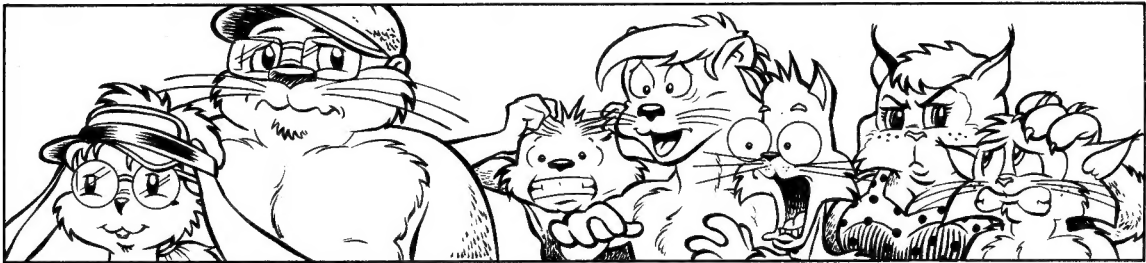
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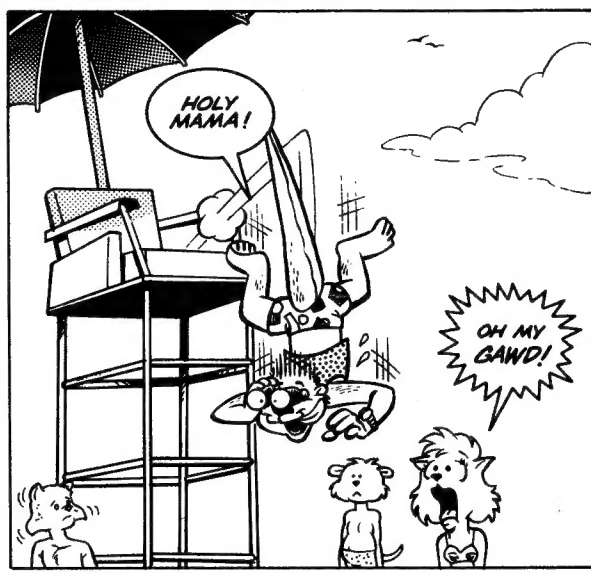
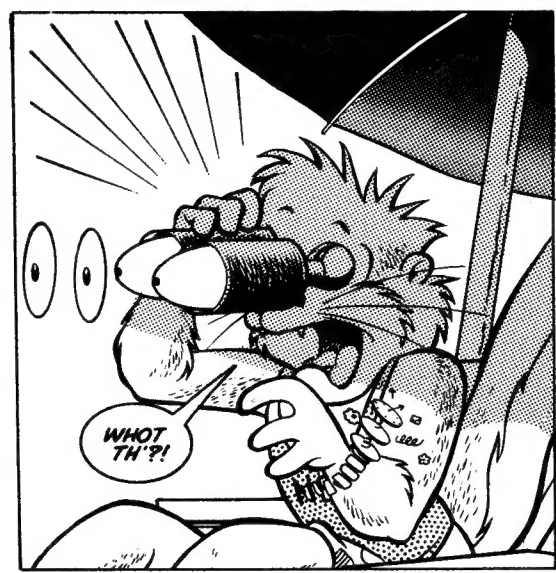
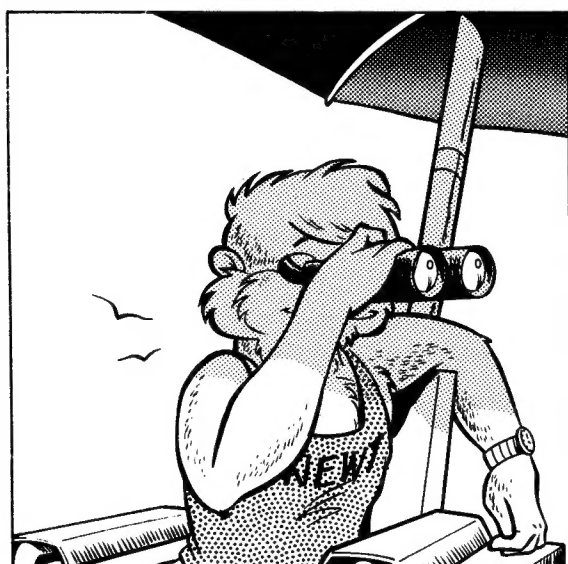
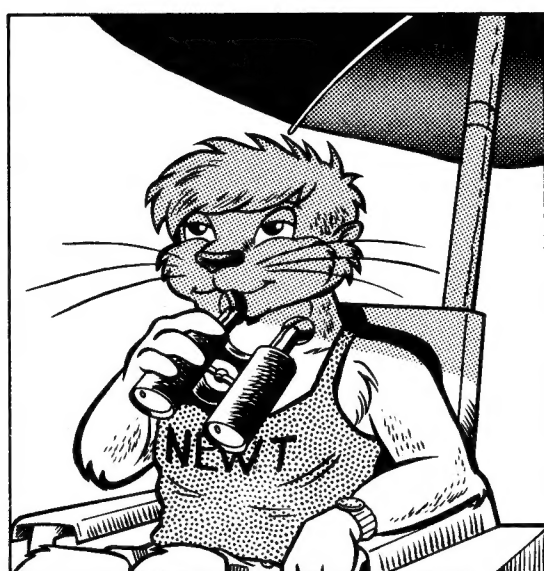


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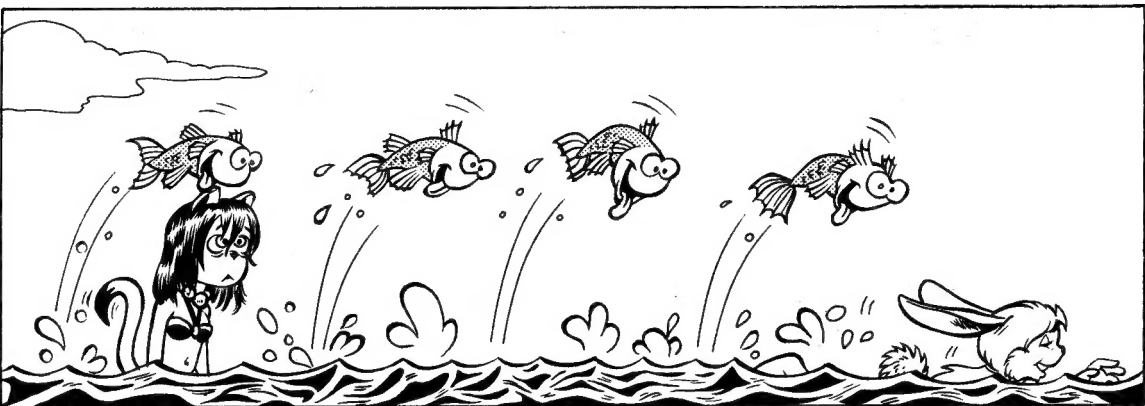
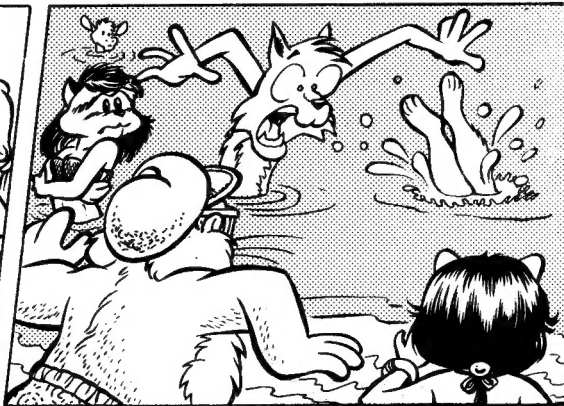
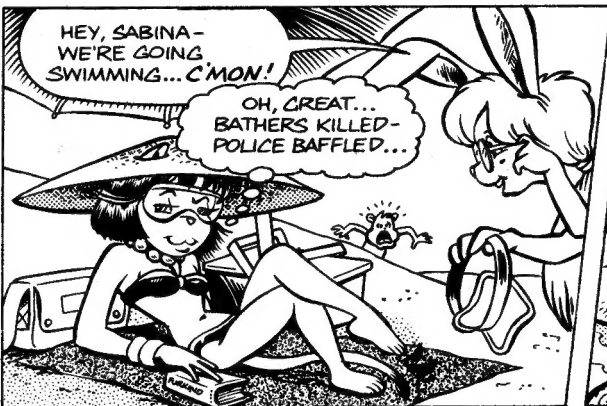
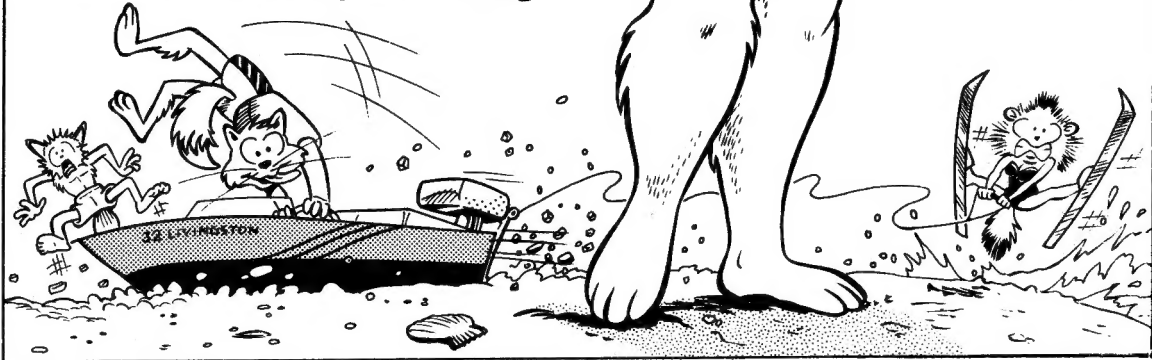




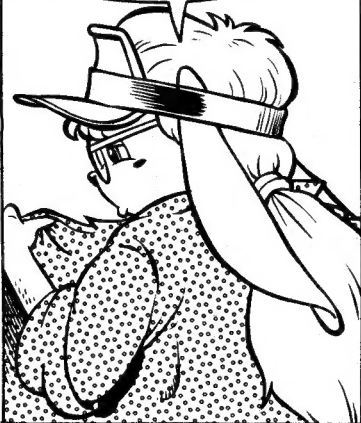




SKRRRRRAAE!



I WORE THIS SWIMSUIT
TO IMPRESS WENDELL,
AND HE DIDN'T EVEN
BAT AN EYE!



... OR MAYBE ... HE WAS
AFRAID TO? OH!
I'LL BET HE THOUGHT
I'D BE OFFENDED
IF HE STARTED
DROOLING ...

OHHH...

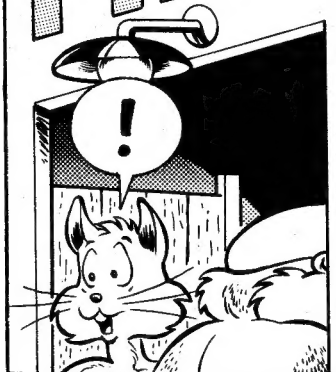


THAT SILLY BOY!
WHAT A SWEETHEART!
WHAT A GENTLEMAN!

WHAT A
SCHMUCK...



MEN



WOW... WHAT A
LOVELY GIRL...



YES,
SHE IS
LOVELY...



... AND BRIGHT,
AND CARING ...

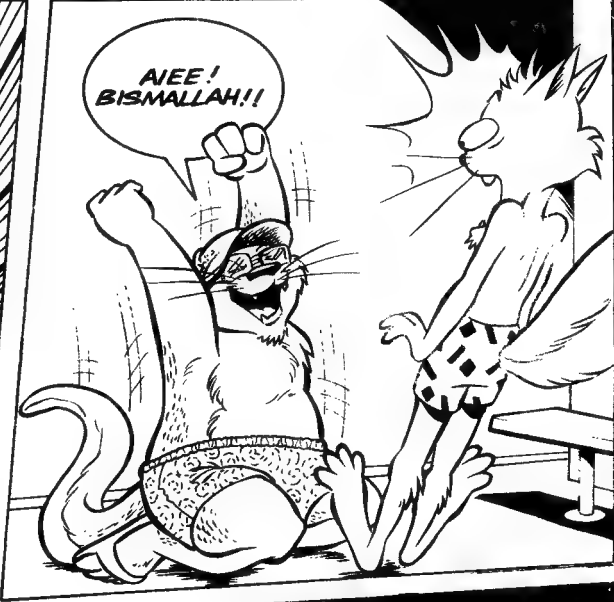


... AND GOOD -
NATURED, AND
VIVACIOUS ...



... AND SEXY,
AND - AND - AND...







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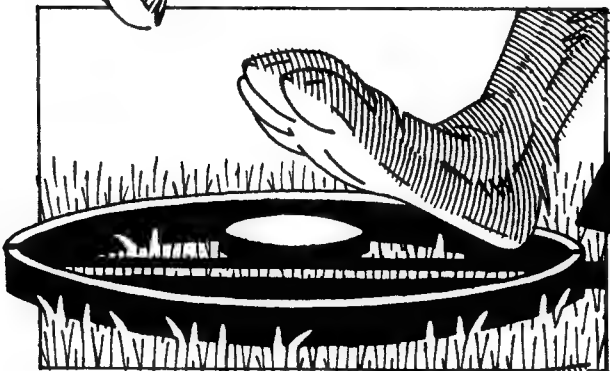
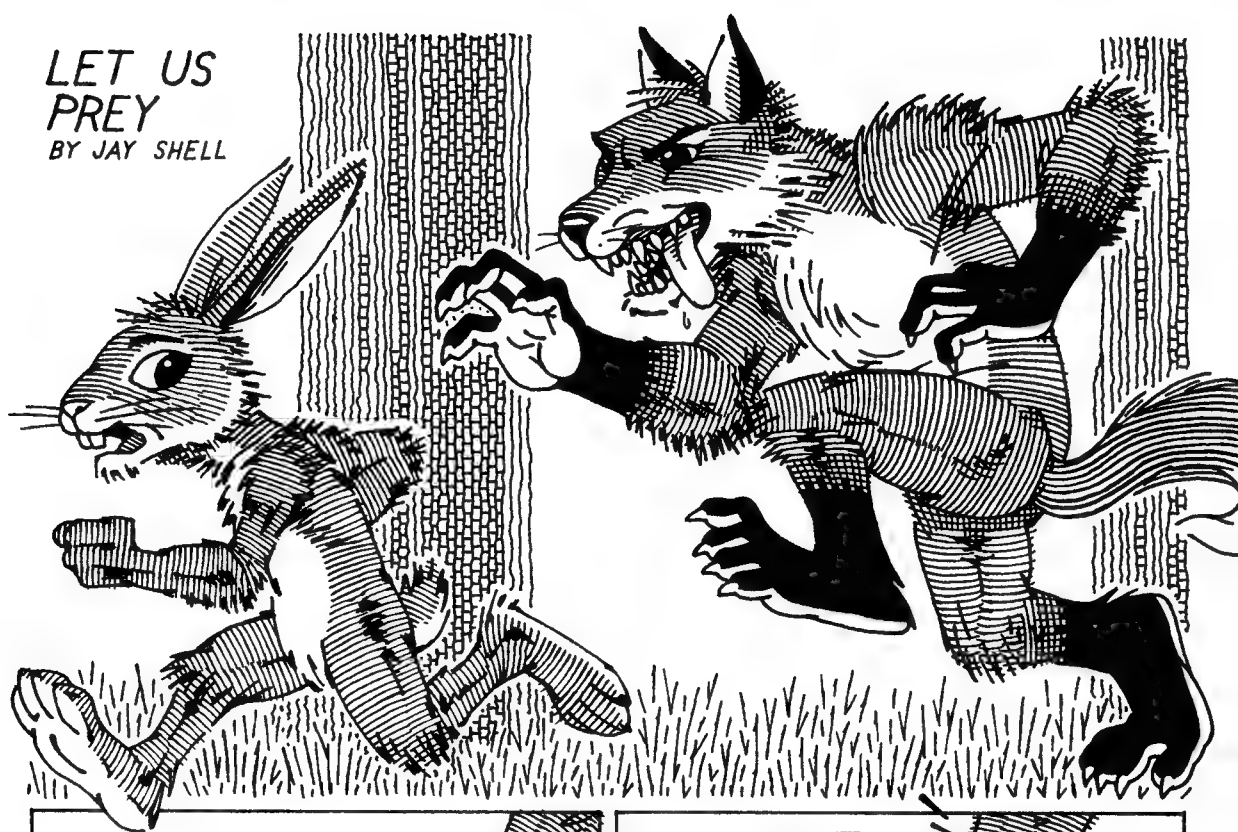
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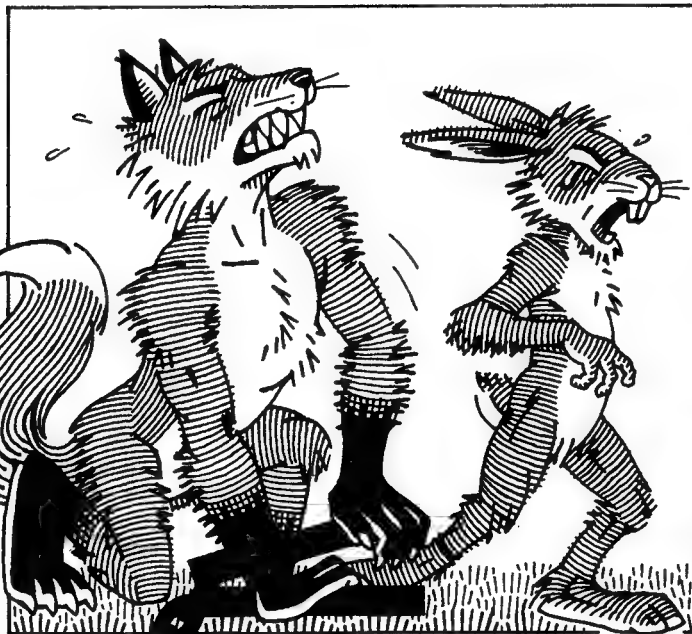
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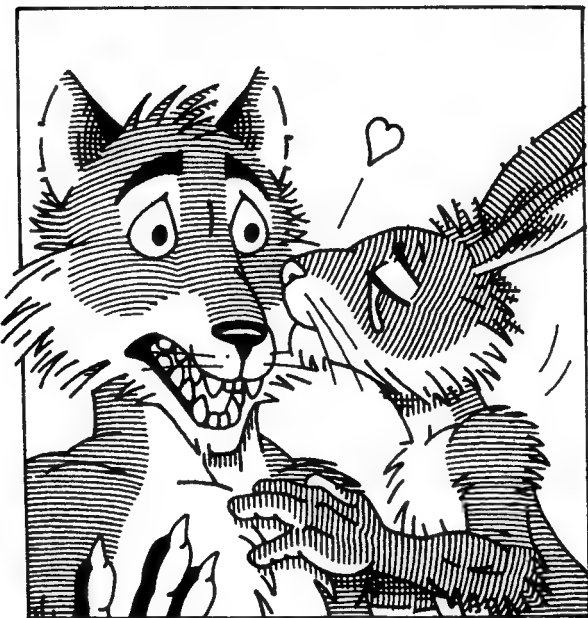
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LET US PREY

BY JAY SHELL







ME-VOLUTION

Once upon a time
there was a beautiful Little world
blessed with the gift of Life...

You're just
a part of
me...

When I
see you,
I see
MYSELF...

I...THOUGHT
I knew who
you were...
I THOUGHT I
knew who I was...
but...

I DON'T
WANNA HEAR
IT! JUST
GO AWAY!

Hey, don't
worry-- WE won't
fight like that--

"WE"?
What's this
"WE" business?

OHMYGOD!
Will you look at
what those two
OVER THERE
are doing?

That's
AWFUL!
It's
UNNATURAL!

DISGUSTING!
... Let ME see...

Hmm...
wanna
try it?

Don't let
the BUDS
see it!

SURE!

Hey, lay off!
We're just
exchanging
gametes!

Hm... at FIRST
being stuck in one
spot seemed like a
GOOD IDEA...
... Now...

I know
what you
MEAN!

Hey, guys, I dunno about YOU, but I'm TIRED of all these BIG fish eatin' up us LITTLE fish all the time...

So, I got this IDEA... What if ALL us little fish get together in this BIG group, REAL close, see... sort of like a BIG fish ourselves...

So the BIG fish might think we're ANOTHER big fish and won't be eatin' us up as fast, see... But, we're ALL gonna have to do it! I TELL ya, it'll WORK! Whaddya THINK?

Hey... the BIG fish are ALWAYS gonna eat up us little fish... There's just NOTHING you can DO about it!

I think that's the STUPIDEST thing I EVER HEARD!

Damn BIG FISH!

Hey, look... it doesn't MATTER if we get eaten or not, y'know? The way I see it, we're all just little parts of the great big universal FOOD CHAIN... So... MELLOW OUT, okay?

How do YOU come off telling US what WE should do?

I think MY idea was BETTER... let's REASON with the BIG FISH... we're CIVILIZED! - we're... VERTEBRATES!

Why don't you ALL just SHUT UP?

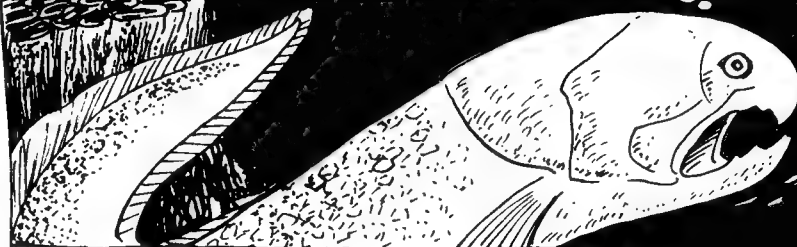
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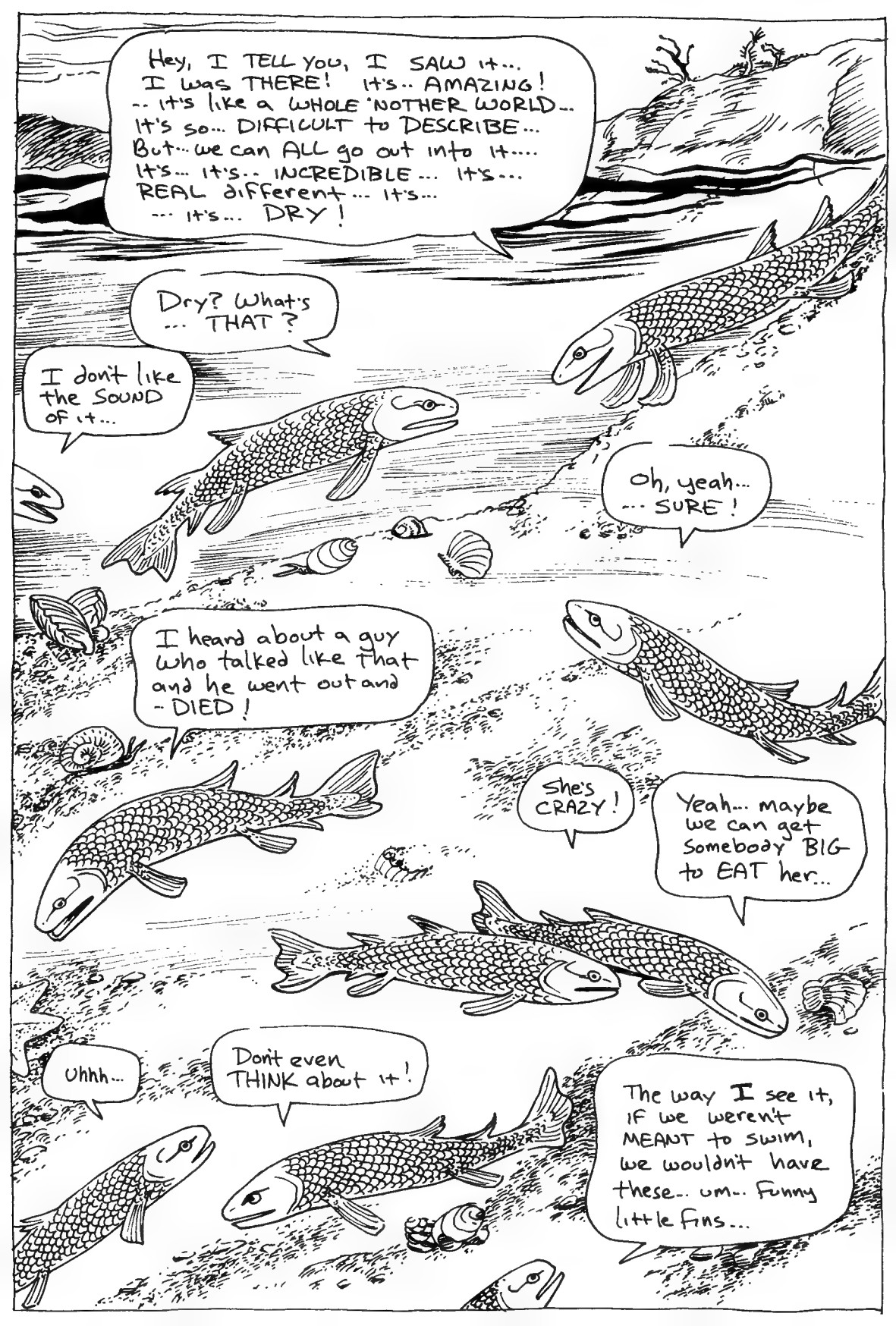
So, now we're all going to vote on this by CONSENSUS?

WAIT! I'm ME! I'm an INDIVIDUAL! I'm not gonna be part of ANY big group... and I think this is REALLY STUPID!

YEAH! And I think it's SO stupid, I'm going 'way over HERE in a radical act of DEFIANCE just to PROVE I can DO it...

It's sure nice being a BIG fish... It shows I'm a LOT more important than all these little PUNY fish... Hot DAMN! There's one NOW!





Hey, I TELL you, I SAW it...
I was THERE! It's.. AMAZING!
.. it's like a WHOLE 'NOTHER WORLD...
It's so... DIFFICULT to DESCRIBE...
But... we can ALL go out into it....
It's... it's.. INCREDIBLE... It's...
REAL different... It's...
... it's... DRY!

Dry? What's
... THAT?

I don't like
the SOUND
of it...

Oh, yeah...
... SURE!

I heard about a guy
who talked like that
and he went out and
-DIED!

She's
CRAZY!

Yeah... maybe
we can get
Somebody BIG-
to EAT her...

Uhhh...

Don't even
THINK about it!

The way I see it,
if we weren't
MEANT to swim,
we wouldn't have
these... um.. Funny
little fins...



HEY! Where do you think YOU'RE goin'?

YEAH! What if so MANY of you come out that it gets too CROWDED out here and we... we... run out of FOOD or something?

Besides, you haven't even got proper FEET!

Aw, c'mon... MOVE OVER!

Hey, YOU didn't start out with feet...

OR EYELIDS!



Well then, WE were here FIRST! That SETTLES it!

Yeah, RIGHT! Will ya listen to THAT? -and THESE guys claim they're so doggonned EVOLVED!

Just REMEMBER, you STILL gotta lay your EGGS in here...

Let's see how snotty you sound after we EAT them all!

HAH! I DID IT... I showed THEM! They.. LAUGHED.. They thought I was a mere INSECT! Hm... wonder how I slow down... or... LAND...

OOPS! Well... um... I'm SURE we'll figure SOMETHING-out!

Meat is MURDER! It's a NOTORIOUSLY inefficient source of protein, besides being quite an inconvenience to myself and my fellow herbivores..

We've got to work TOGETHER towards our common FUTURE! We've got to join in SOLIDARITY! ..You'll see.. YEARS from now they'll be saying we were really STUPID!

Hey, YOU'RE the ones who're STUPID if you think anyone WILLFULLY relinquishes power! I'm getting SICK of hearing all this gloom and doom!

IF it aint BROKE, dont fix it!

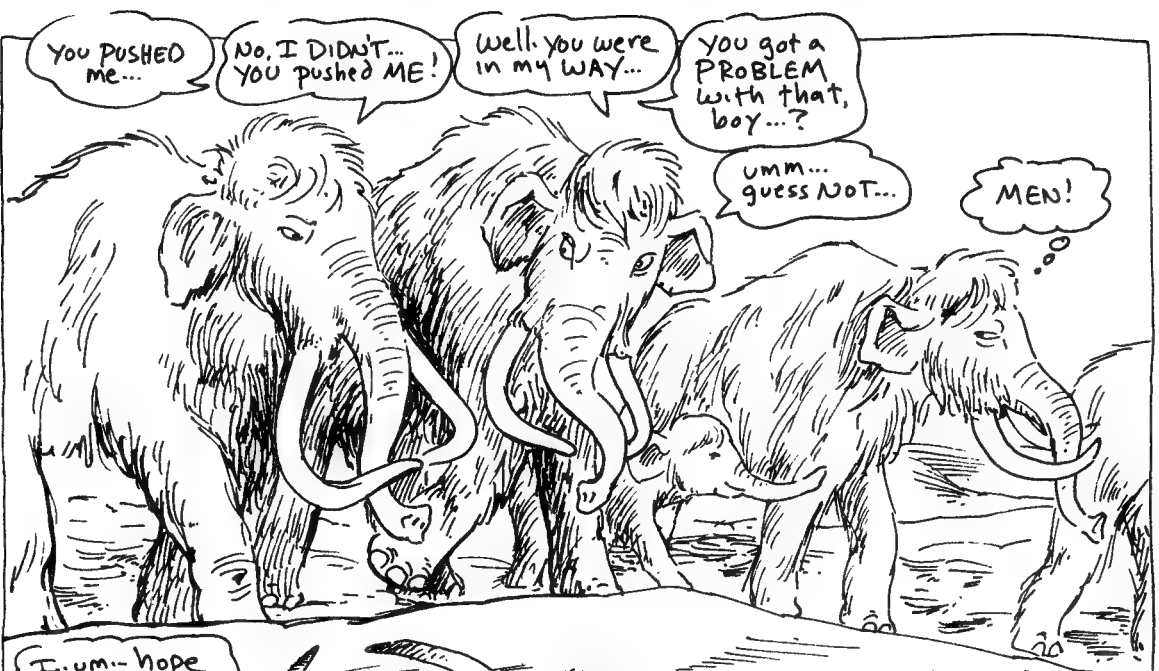
Hey, what's the USE... we're ALL gonna die anyway!

Havent you been repeating those AFFIRMATIONS I taught you?

Why dont you Carnivores eat THESE nasty lil' things? They seem to be all OVER the place...

I TRIED, but I kept coughing up FURBALLS!





You PUSHED me...

No, I DIDN'T... YOU pushed ME!

Well, you were in my WAY...

You got a PROBLEM with that, boy...?

umm... guess NOT...

MEN!



I..um.. hope My horns are bigger than HIS...

ooh... Lookit the HORNS on THAT bull!

Well... they say SIZE ISN'T EVERYTHING... SINCE WHEN?

There I WAS... Mindin' my own business... an' some o' them little scramblers snuck up behind me an' stuck THAT in me! 'Course, I FLATTENED most o' them before they got away....

WHAT is this world COMING to...?



Friends, we're going to HAVE to co-operate if we've any hopes of combatting this... HUMAN menace that endangers us ALL... SOON, I fear, the only lions LEFT will be far down in AFRICA...

But, let's not forget, we can never be free OURSELVES unless we help Liberate those unfortunates already enslaved by humankind! I know of a certain flock of SHEEP who I believe will have MUCH to gain from our efforts...



But, humans ALSO enslave the LAND itself and kill us if we try to get near it...

After what YOUR people have done to MY people...? NO WAY!

Hey, that's not MY problem... I haven't had ANY of that happen up on my mountainside!

I'm forming a committee to study this problem FURTHER, and I think you would make an EXCELLENT assistant... Come along..

Gee.. THANKS!

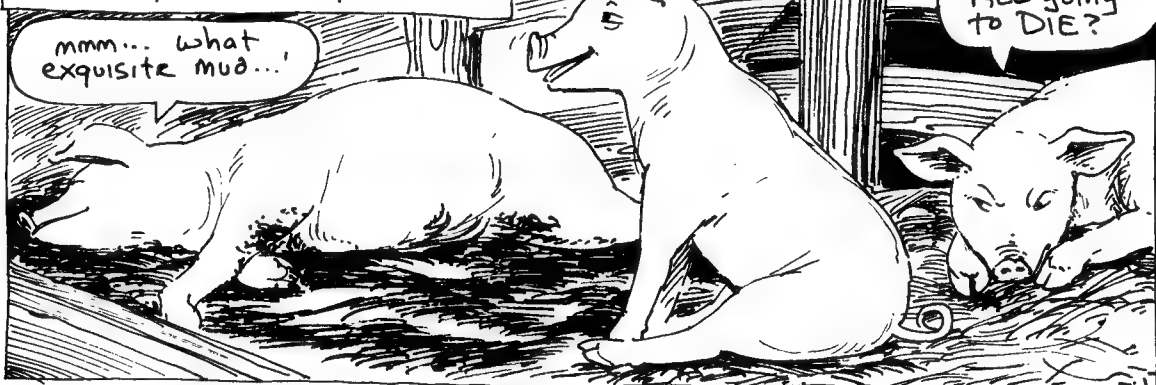


Once upon a time there were three little pigs. Two of the pigs were very, very happy, but the THIRD little pig was very UNHAPPY...

Look! He's bringing 'round the DINNER PAIL again!

Don't you know we're ALL going to DIE?

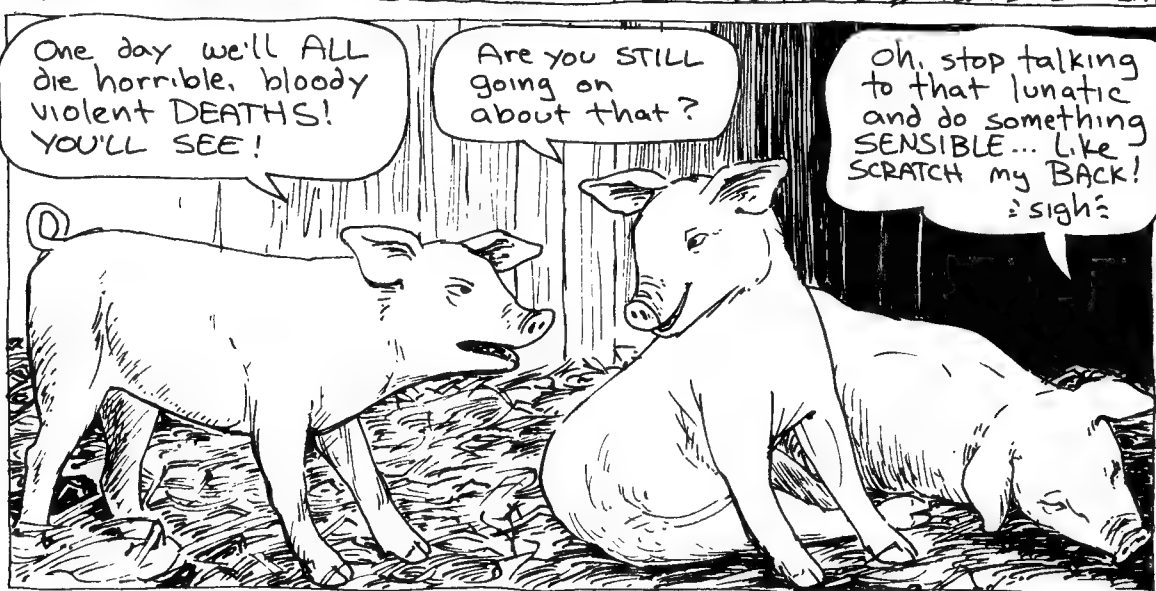
mmm... what exquisite mud...



One day we'll ALL die horrible, bloody violent DEATHS! YOU'LL SEE!

Are you STILL going on about that?

Oh, stop talking to that lunatic and do something SENSIBLE... Like SCRATCH my BACK! :sigh:



And then one day...

SQUEEL!

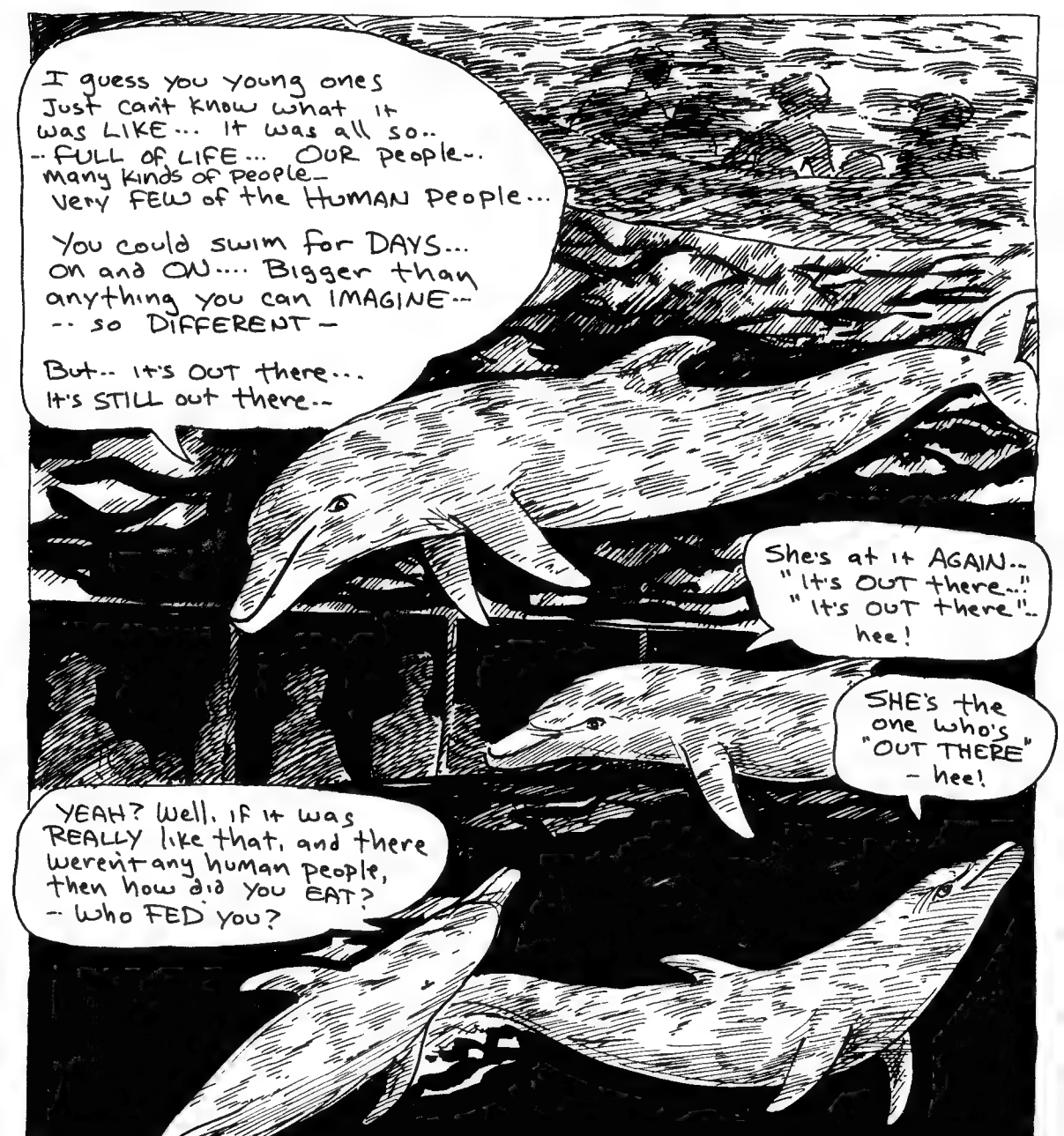
Oh, NO! What IS this place?

It's HORRIBLE!

See? I was RIGHT! I WAS RIGHT! HA-HA-HA-HA!



And so, the third little pig was finally happy... But only for a VERY short while!



I guess you young ones
Just can't know what it
was LIKE... It was all so..
-- FULL OF LIFE... OUR people..
many kinds of people..
Very FEW of the HUMAN people...

You could swim for DAYS...
ON and ON.... Bigger than
anything you can IMAGINE..
-- so DIFFERENT --

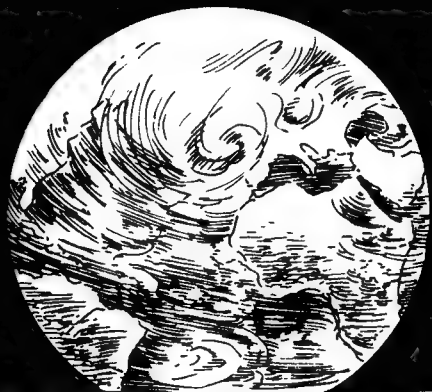
But.. it's OUT there..
It's STILL out there..

She's at it AGAIN..
"It's OUT there..
"It's OUT there"..
hee!

SHE's the
one who's
"OUT THERE"
- hee!

YEAH? Well, if it was
REALLY like that, and there
weren't any human people,
then how did you EAT?
-- Who FED you?

Well... it wasn't EXACTLY
like this... because the
ANIMALS, at least, weren't
clever enough to make
things QUITE so
complicated for
themselves!





CATHY HILL ©1991



YOU MADE IT UP, POPPYSEED!
THERE'S NO SUCH
THING!

THERE IS TOO!
I HEARD OF IT!

WELL,
AH HIT THE ROAD WHEN AH WUS THREE,
AN' LIT OUT ON MAH OWN...
WELL, AH SWUNG THROUGH A
TREE OR TWO...
AN' ROLLED WITH THE PUNCHES
LAK A PINE CONE...

LET'S ASK COUSIN LEMUR! HE KNOWS
EVERYTHING!

WELL, AH LEFT MAH HEART OUT
ON A LIMB,
JUS' LEFT IT HANGIN' THERE..
AH'LL PICK IT UP WHEN AH GIT
BACK THAT WAY...

COUSIN LEMUR, WHAT'S
MUD, PASSIONATE LOVE?

MAYUD, PASSIONATE LUV!
YEW CUM TO THE RAGHT BOY!
AH KNOW A MYLLION SONGS ABOUT
MAYUD, PASSIONATE LUV!

AH JUS' GOT TO
TUNE 'UR UP
HERE.

WELL,
AH WISH AH WUZ A WAD A GUM,
STUCK TO YER LEFT SHOE,
AH'D FOLLOW YEW A BLOCK
OR TWO....
AN' SEE ALL WUT YEW DOOO...



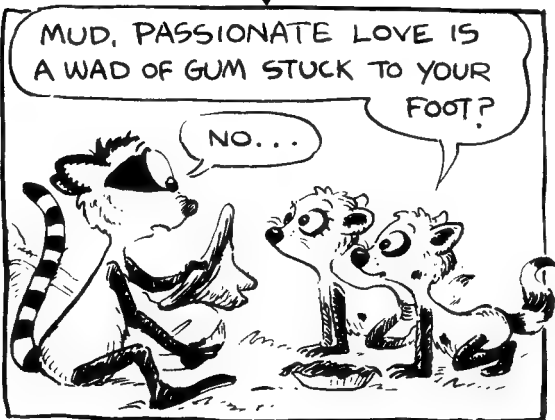
AH WISH AH WUZ A WAD A GUM,
STUCK TO YER RIGHT FOOT,
AH'D FOLLOW YEW THROUGH
THICK AN' THIN,
AN' WORSHUP WHERE YEW STOODT.



MAYUD, PASSIONATE LUV
IS WANTIN' TO BE
A WAD A GUM STUCK
TO HER FOOT.

MUD, PASSIONATE LOVE IS
A WAD OF GUM STUCK TO YOUR
FOOT?

NO...



WHY WOULD ANYONE WANT
TO DO THAT, COUSIN LEMUR?

LUV GITS YEW INTO
THE STICKIEST
SITUATIONS.



SEE? I TOL' YOU THAT'S
WHAT I WAS MAKING! A
MUD, PASSIONATE LOVE PIE!
AN' IT'S ALL STICKY TOO!
I TOL' YOU!



CAN I MAKE
MUD, PASSIONATE LOVE PIE
WITH YOU?

SURE! COOK 'EM
GOOD THOUGH.
THEY GOTTA BE
HOT!



END

DOES IT SEEM HOT IN HERE TO YOU?

FRANKLY, FEBRILE... I'M NOT HAPPY WITH YOUR PERFORMANCE.

THE COMPANY EXPECTS YOU TO BE CHEERY, WELL-GROOMED AND LIVELY... AND TO BRING IN LOTS OF BUSINESS!

WELL... I... I HAVEN'T BEEN FEELING WELL, LATELY...

NOT GETTING MUCH SLEEP...

TODAY YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE A PARTNER... MR. WEINER HAS JUST THE ATTITUDE WE'RE LOOKING FOR... YOU CAN LEARN FROM HIM.

...I'LL TRY, SIR-- I TAKE MY JOB VERY SERIOUSLY. THANK YOU, SIR.

OKAY. TAKE A DEEP BREATH. I CAN HANDLE IT. HERE GOES...

ARE TOYS A JAMMIN'

POWER TOOLS OFF! BUILD MET

HYUK HYUK HYUK!

HEY, KIDS! FLOPPITY'S A-HOPPIN'!

HYUK YUK

FUN TIME MALL

BABY SCREECH

FUN! RIFLE OF DEATH

SHOTS RE BULLETS

TURN'S ORDINARY BATHS INTO RHYTHMIC LEAKS

RIC SH

WWS

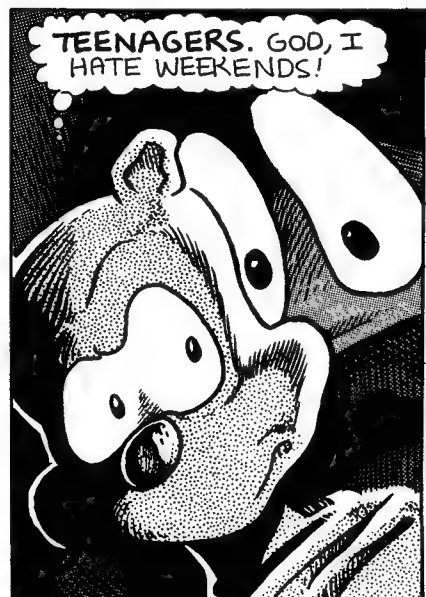
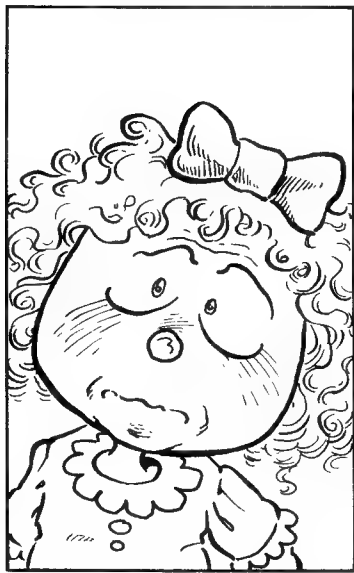
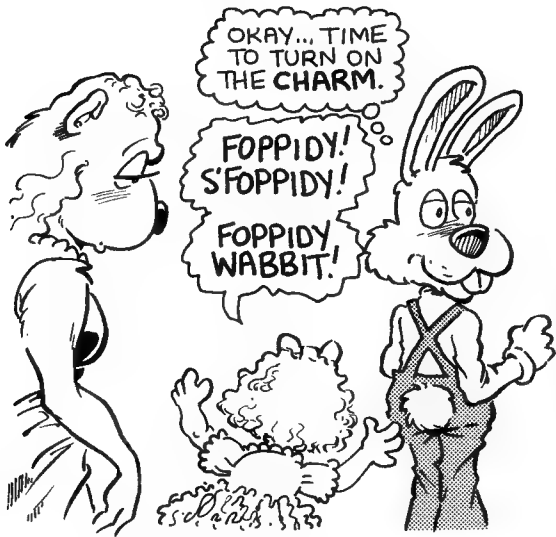
SIGH: IT SEEMS SAD... SINCE I WAS A KID, I LOVED FLOPPITY THE RABBIT, BUT NOW THAT I AM FLOPPITY... I FEEL SO... CHEAP.

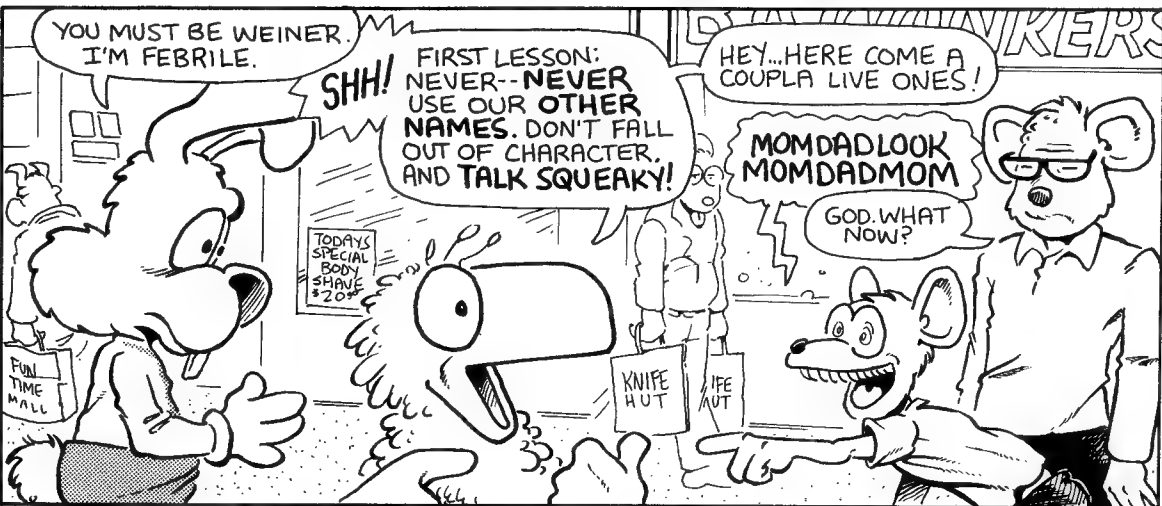
OVEN MITT WAREHOUSE

PRICES SLASHED

SO, WHERE'S THIS NEW GUY? HAH - CHIRPY THE BIRD... ALWAYS A SECOND RATER!

FLOPPITY GOES BERSERK!







WHAT? HE WON'T BUY IT? I GUESS THAT MAKES HIM... **CHEEP! CHEEP!**

HEY, EVERYBODY! **CHEEP DAD!** **CHEEP! CHEEP!**



ALL RIGHT. WE'RE GOING.

CHEEP! CHEEP DAD!
HAHAHA **CHEEP!** HAH!
CHEEPCHEEPCHEEP!



THAT WASN'T VERY SMART.

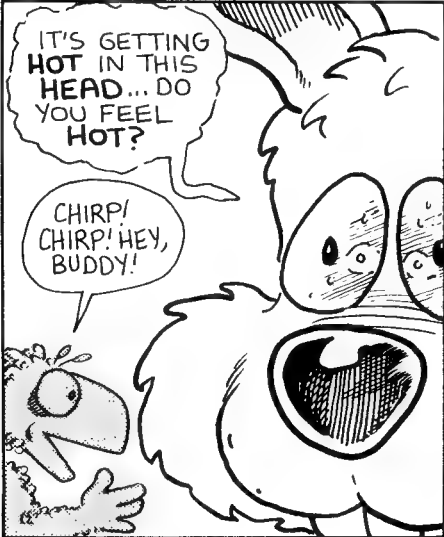
ARE YOU KIDDING? LISTEN TO THAT BRAT! THEY'LL HAVE TO BUY IT TO SHUT HIM UP!

CHEEP CHEEP CHEEP CHEEP



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IT'S GETTING HOT IN THIS HEAD... DO YOU FEEL HOT?

CHIRP! CHIRP! HEY, BUDDY!



LET ME SEE YOUR CHIRPY THE BIRD WATCH... WHAT?

YOU DON'T HAVE ONE? OH, NO! THEN I CAN'T GIVE YOU THE SECRET HANDSHAKE!

Too BAD!

SOCKET IT SET

TOOL

THIS IS **TOO MUCH!** CHIRPY'S COMPLETELY **SOLD OUT!** WE WERE NOT MEANT FOR THIS... THIS... **PROSTITUTION!**

SIGH... IT'S A LONG WAY FROM **HOPPY HOLLOW** AND ITS CAREFREE, ZANY LIFESTYLE...

IF ONLY YOU COULD REALLY GO THERE ... **FLOPPITY** NEVER HAD TO WORRY ABOUT RENT... OR CRIME... A MESSY DIVORCE...

IT WAS JUST ONE **MADCAP PRANK** AFTER ANOTHER...

★ NOBODY EVER GOT HURT...

THEY JUST HAD FUN.

I BET THERE WEREN'T ANY **MALLS** IN **HOPPY HOLLOW**.

CHIRPY THE BIRD.

ALWAYS **HATED** CHIRPY THE BIRD.

I WONDER WHAT **FLOPPITY** WOULD DO IN A SITUATION LIKE THIS?

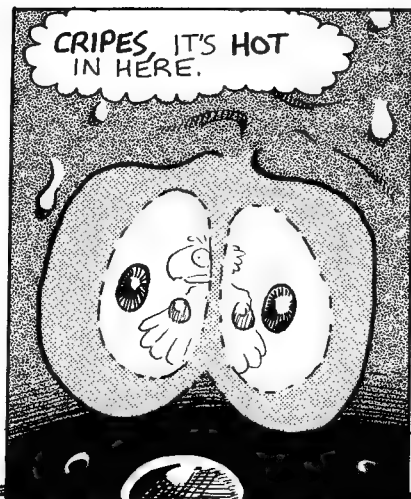
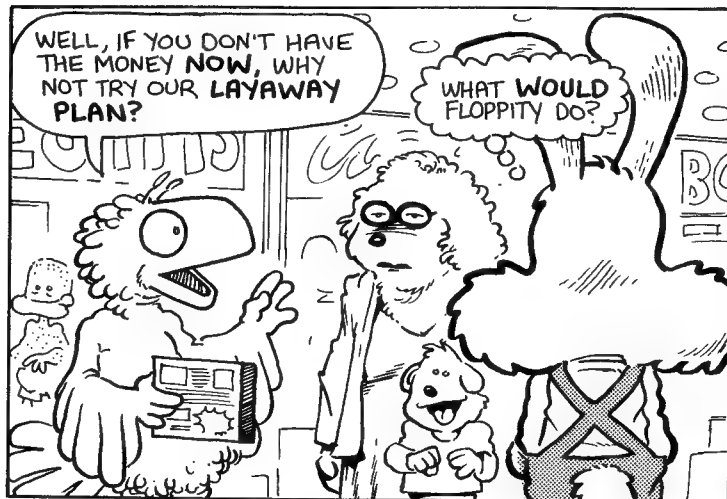
DROP AN **ANVIL** ON HIM? STICK **DYNAMITE** IN HIS PANTS?

WHERE DO YOU **BUY** **ALUM**, ANYHOW?

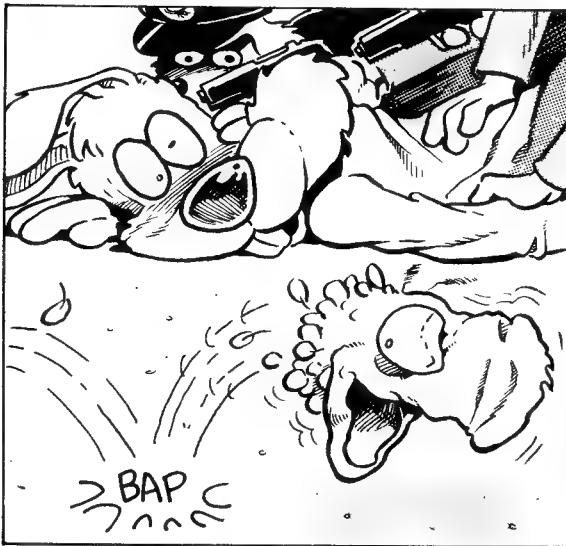
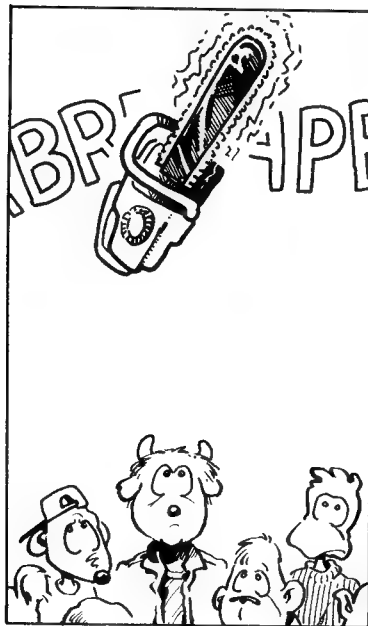
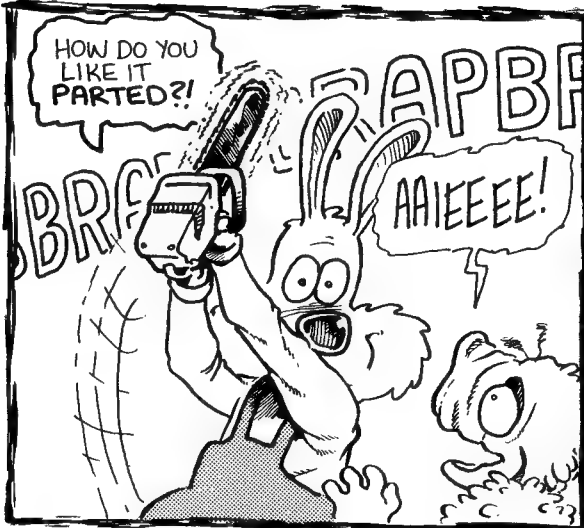
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IT WAS WORTH IT...
WORTH IT! THE
PUBLIC WILL GET MY
MESSAGE AND THE
DEGRADATION OF
LOVABLE CARTOON
CHARACTERS
WILL END!

FLOPPITY IS THROUGH
AS A COMMERCIAL
SPOKESMAN! HAHAAH!

YOU'LL SEE!
FINISHED!
HAHAHAHA!

WELL, IT WAS TWO MONTHS AGO THAT
FLOPPITY WENT ON A RAMPAGE
AT FUN TIME MALL, BUT AS WE ALL
KNOW, THE EXCITEMENT HASN'T
DIED DOWN YET.

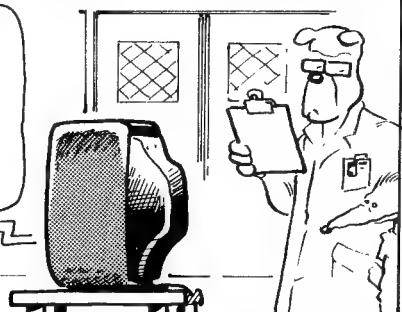
ENTERTAINMENT
NEWS

THE UNEXPECTED
DEMAND FOR FLOPPITY
COLLECTIBLES HAS
CAUSED THEIR VALUE
TO SKYROCKET.

TODAY, HASBENBROS.
RELEASED ITS MUCH-
ANTICIPATED NEW
LINE OF FLOPPITY
FIGURES, AND, AT TOYS-
B-JAMMIN, THE LINES
STARTED FORMING AT
SIX A.M.



THE NEW TOYS INCLUDE
MAD-AS-HELL FLOPPITY,
WHO COMES ON HIS OWN
SOAPBOX, AND THE
DELUXE PSYCHO FLOPPITY,
WHOSE FACE TURNS FROM
GRINS TO GRIMACES WITH
A TUG OF HIS EARS!



TOUCHWOOD PICTURES, MEANWHILE,
HAS ANNOUNCED PLANS FOR A
LIVE-ACTION FLOPPITY FEATURE
FILM...

NICK NOLTE AND
DANNY DE VITO
ARE RUMORED TO
HAVE SIGNED ON...



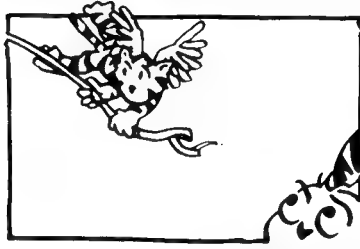
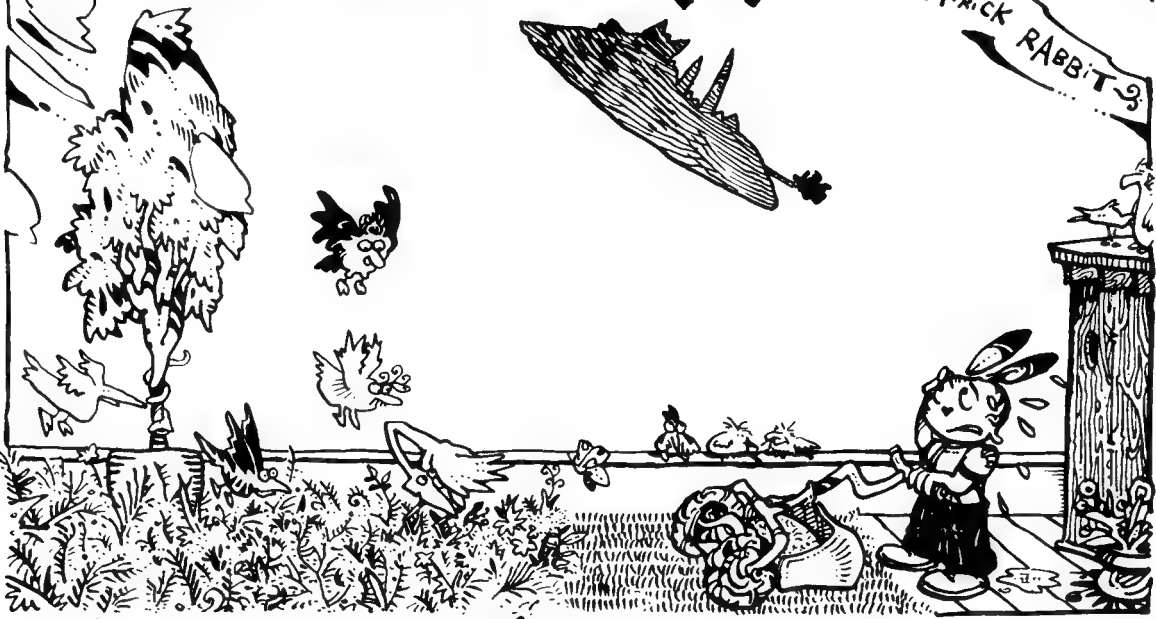
IS IT GETTING
HOT IN HERE?

THE END

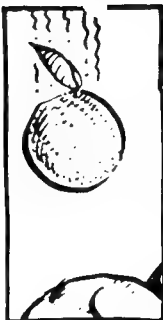
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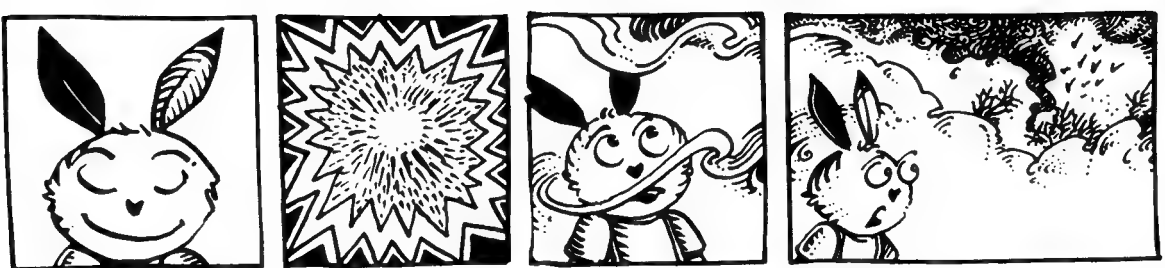
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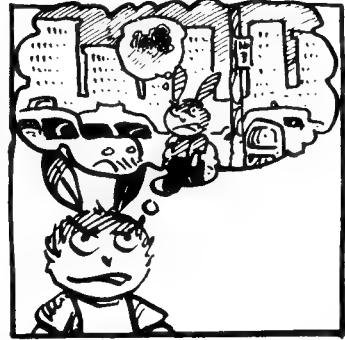


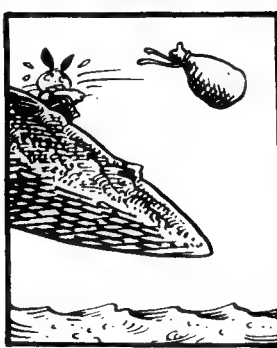
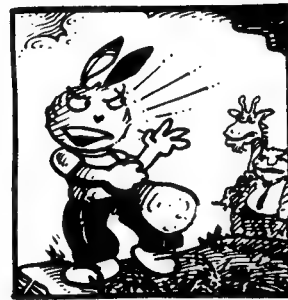




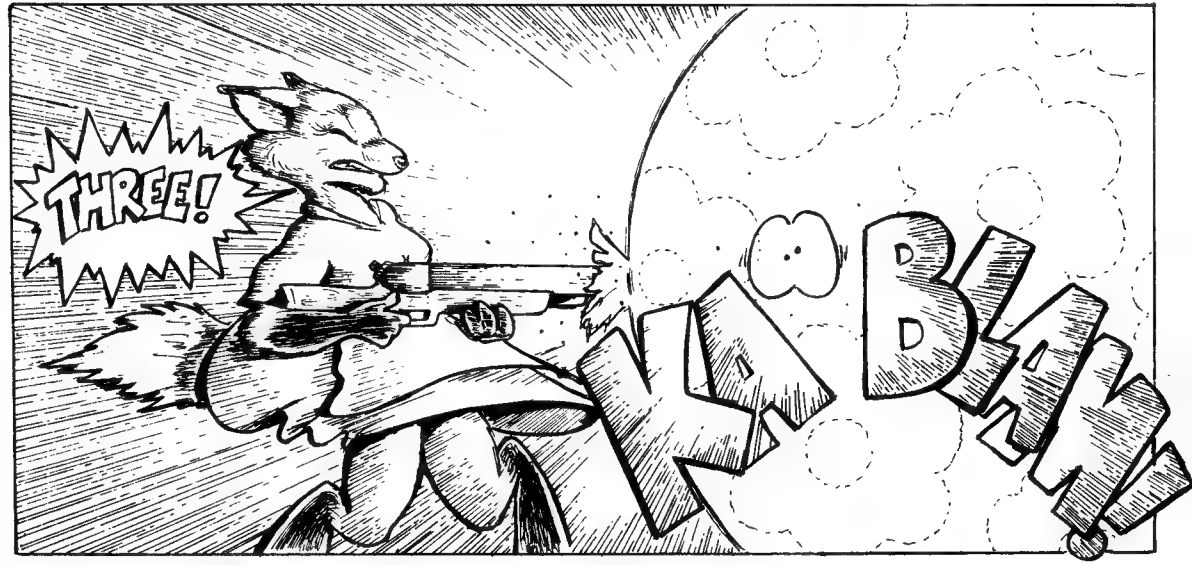


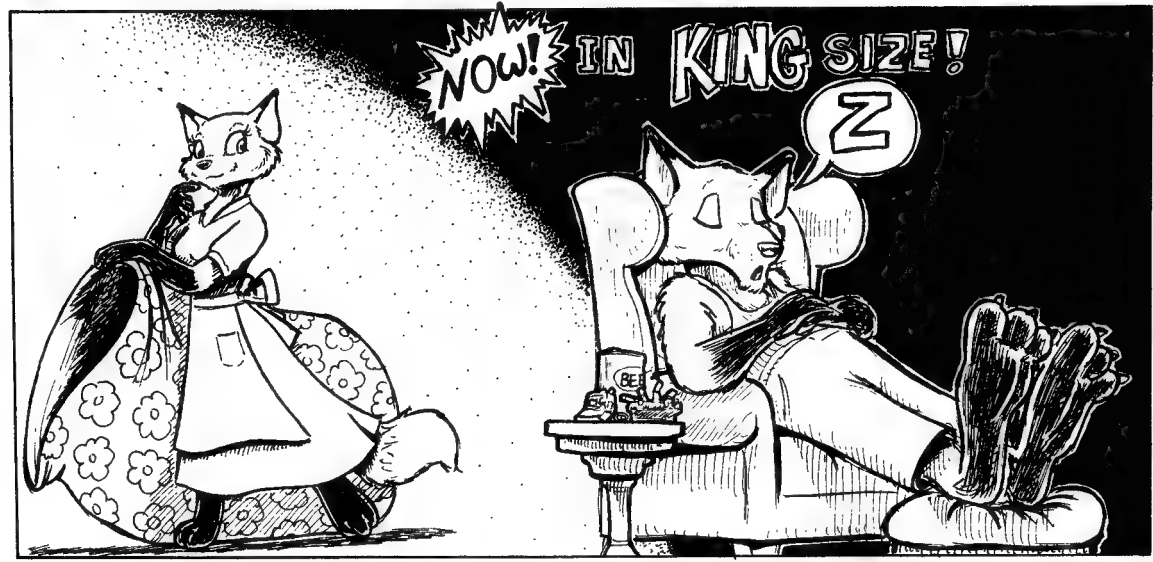
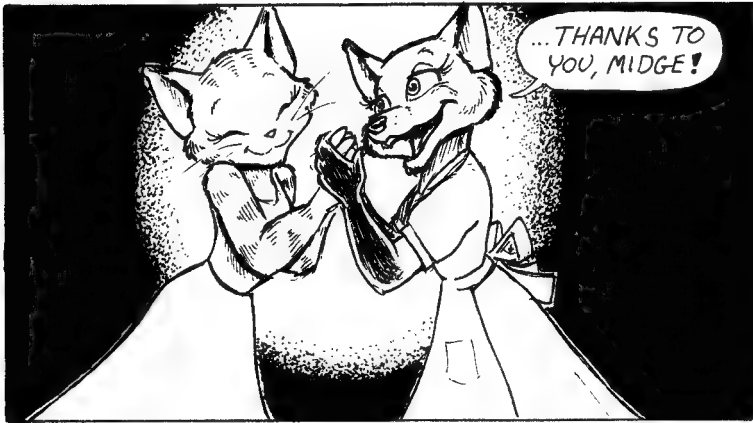












FLASHBACK

WOOF I AM BORED! WHAT DO YOU GUYS WANT TO DO TONIGHT?

AW HELL, I DON'T KNOW. JEEZ, IT SURE WASN'T LIKE THIS BACK IN THE SIXTIES!

YOU'RE NOT KIDDING. EVERYTHING'S DIFFERENT NOW!



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IN THE SIXTIES WE HAD SOMETHING TO BELIEVE IN...

THE EXPANSION OF INNER AND OUTER SPACES!

CIVIL RIGHTS AND FIGHTING THE DRAFT!

STANDING UP TO THE PIGS!

GETTING BEAT UP AND GASSED!

LIVING WITH TEN PEOPLE IN A CONVERTED CHICKEN COOP!



DAMN,
I HATED
THOSE
CHICKENS!

I REMEMBER
SITTING THERE
GETTING BLOWN
AWAY ON
BLONDE HASH!

I CAN'T
HARDLY
GET HIGH,
ANYMORE!



BUT I REMEMBER
THE FIRST FEW TIMES
I GOT STONED, THOUGH.
IT WAS INCREDIBLE...

NOWADAYS
I MOSTLY
COUGH!



BESIDES,
I THINK I
LIKE BRANDY
BETTER!

HARHAR! REMEMBER THE
TIME WE PUT FOUR HITS OF
SUNSHINE IN THAT BOTTLE
OF BRANDY AT THE AIR-
PLANE CONCERT?



YEAH! I THOUGHT GRACE
SLICK WAS THE VIRGIN
MARY, AND THE FLOOR
WAS MADE OUTTA BLUE
COTTAGE CHEESE!

YOU THREW
UP IN THE
PARKING
LOT FOR
FORTY-FIVE
MINUTES!



ONE PILL
MAKES YOU
LARGER...

I HAVEN'T TRIPPED
IN TEN YEARS-IT
JUST DOESN'T SEEM
APPROPRIATE
ANYMORE!

MY KID BROTHER
GAVE ME TEN HITS
OF ACID FOR MY
BIRTHDAY, LAST
YEAR...

...ONE PILL MAKES
YOU SMALL...



...I HAD TO TAKE
SEVEN OF THEM,
JUST TO GET A
BUZZ, BUT ALL
IT REALLY DID
WAS KEEP ME
AWAKE ALL
NIGHT!

THE LAST
TIME I WAS
UP ALL NIGHT,
I CAME
DOWN WITH
THE FLU!



THE ONES THAT
MOTHER GIVES
YOU DON'T DO
ANYTHING AT
ALL...

**GO ASK
ALICE...**

**HEY
ASSWIPE!**

**SIDDOWN AN'
SHUTUP! OR
GET THE HELL
OUTTA HERE!**

IF THIS WAS THE
SIXTIES, I'D HAVE
SHOWN THAT RED-
NECK A THING
OR TWO!

IF THIS
WAS THE
SIXTIES, HE
PROBABLY
WOULD'A
SHOT 'YA!



A COP
PULLED
A GUN
ON ME
ONCE IN
CHICAGO!

YEAH?
WHAT
DID
YOU
DO?

I PUT A
FLOWER
IN THE
BARREL!

REALLY?
WHAT DID
HE DO
THEN?

HE ARRESTED HIM
FOR VAGRENCY!
IT STOPPED HIM
FROM EVER HAVING
A CAREER AS A
TAXI CAB DRIVER!



AWWWW! I'M REALLY
BROKEN UP.. CRIME
DOESN'T PAY, YA
KNOW!

TELL ME ABOUT IT!
I GOT BUSTED
BACK IN '72 FOR
COPE - IT WAS LIKE
SOMETHING OUT
OF DRAGNET!

SLURP
SLURP
SLURP

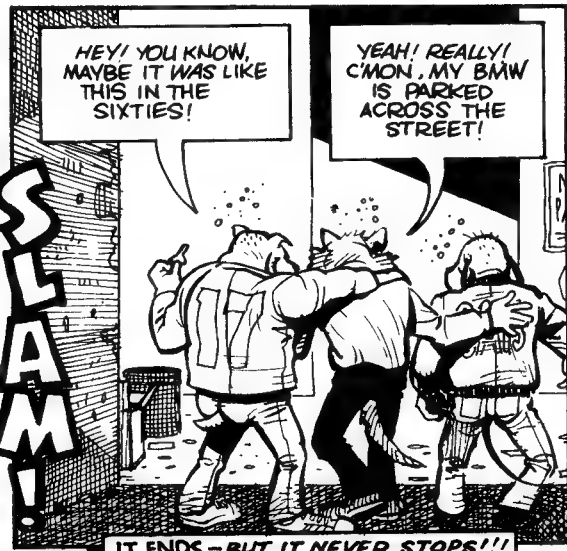


THEY ACTUALLY
HAD ME, HANDS-
AGAINST-THE-
WALL- FEET-APART
SPREAD 'EM,
AND EVERYTHING!

hehehe
DUM
DE
DUM
DUM
DUMB...

WHAT
HAPPENED
NEXT?





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HAVE THEM-- THEY'RE
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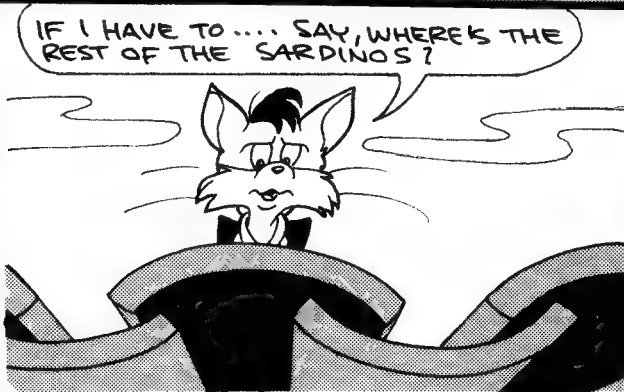


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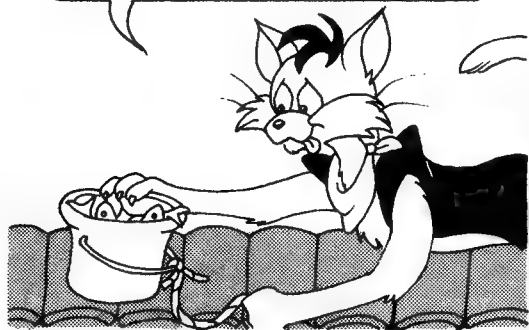
DON GATO

Story & Art by TRACY KAZALEH
Lettering by M. KAZALEH

OH, SEÑOR DON GATO WAS A CAT
ON A HIGH RED ROOF DON GATO SAT
FOR A LETTER HE WAS WAITING, MEOW MEOW MEOW
FROM A LADY HE WAS DATING, MEOW MEOW MEOW
FOR IN LOVE WAS POOR DON GATO!



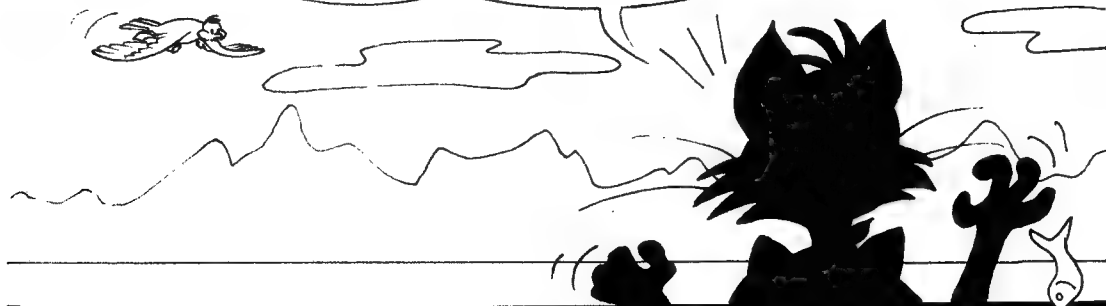
THANKS, SANCH. I'VE GOT THE
NERVOUS MUNCHIES REAL BAD...



(MYERP!)



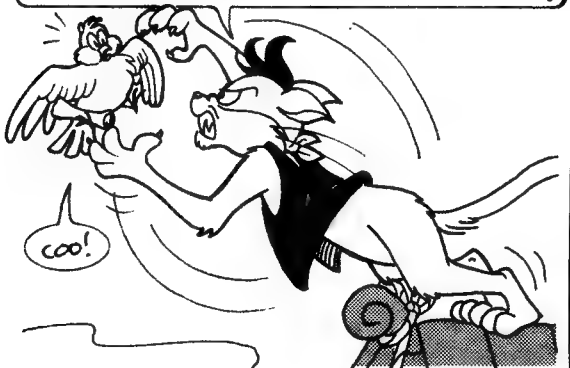
THE BIRD! THE BIRD!



HERE, PIGEON - THAT'S A GOOD BIRDIE - COME TO PAPA DON -



COME HERE YOU WRETCHED SQUAB!



SEÑOR! LOOK OUT!!



STOP FUSSING DOWN THERE! I
CAN LOOK OUT FOR MYSELF!

AND NOW ~ THE MOMENT OF TRUTH!

COOF

SWITCH SWITCH

WHEE-YA-HOO!!

Coo?

Dear Señor
¡Sí!
con Amore
Felisa



♪♪ I'M GETTING MARRIED IN THE MORRRNING!!! ♪♪

SEÑOR, BE
CAREFUL,
POR FAVOR!



¡MADRE!

AIEE!
bumpada
bumpada
bumpada
oop-
yow!

THUD!

¡AY YI YI! SEÑOR DON!

Cooooo.....!

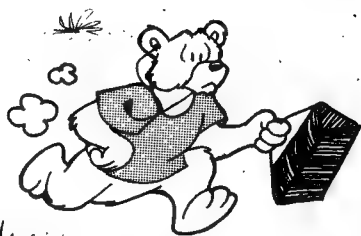
...AY CARAMBA.....



The doctors all came on the run
(once sancho had run to fetch them)

¡ES MUY MAL, SEÑOR MÉDICO?

HMM.... RIGHT KNEE BUSTED
... SEVEN BROKEN RIBS... A
FRACTURED TAIL AND A
SHATTERED SOLAR PLEXUS...
... LOOKS MUY MAL TO ME!



WELL, SHALL WE MAKE WITH
THE SPLINTS ALREADY?

WHY BOTHER? I SAY WE PUT
HIM OUT OF HIS MISERY!



!!@#*!!

CALM DOWN -
I WAS ONLY
KIDDING...



DON'T WORRY - WE'LL HAVE HIM
FIXED IN NO TIME AT ALL.

I DON'T WANNA BE FIXED.
I'LL NEVER SIRE KITTENS
IF I'M FIXED....



Later, at the hospital -

BOO-HOO-HOO! MY POOR DONNY!
WE WERE GOING TO BE SO HAPPY!

... LO SIENTO, SEÑORITA
GATITA....

SALA
de
ESPERA

COO-
HOO....

How is HE, DOCTOR OSO?

ER, WELL - HE, AH.... THAT
IS TO SAY, HE'S-UM.....

..OH, INFIERNO, HE DIDN'T MAKE IT.

¡AY!

I CAN'T UNDERSTAND IT. THIS
STUFF WORKS ON GUINEA PIGS....

MUERTE.

DOCTOR LOBO- YOU ARE A
QUACKO!

NOW,
NOW...

TELL YOU WHAT - I'LL SPRING FOR THE DONNY'S FUNERAL
EXPENSES TO MAKE UP FOR IT, OK? HAVE A NICE DAY!

SALIDA
→

THIS REMIND ME OF THAT
OTHER TIME IN TEAL-JUANA...

-OTHER TIME IN
TEAL-JUANA....

DIAY YI YI!

ZOW!

Next day:

WHY ARE WE GOING THROUGH FISH MARKET
STREET? THE CEMETERY'S CLEAR ACROSS TOWN!

I DUNNO, BUT
THE PANDA SAID
TO GO THIS WAY.

PESCADERIA

I WONDER
WHO DIED?

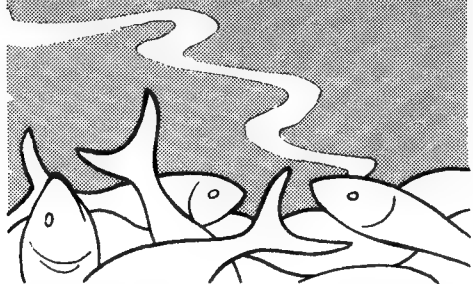
OH, JUST SOME
DON NAMED GATO.

DON GATO?! NO! THAT'S
TERRIBLE!

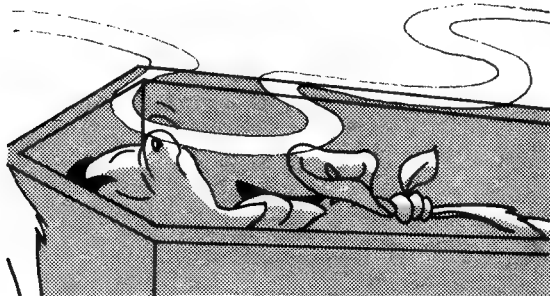
A FRIEND
OF YOURS?

MORE THAN THAT- HE WAS
MY BEST CUSTOMER!

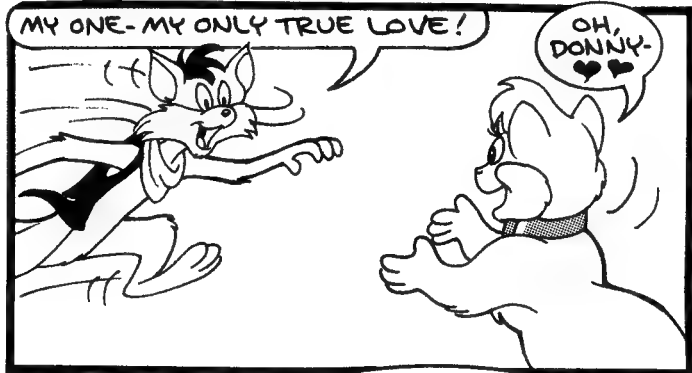
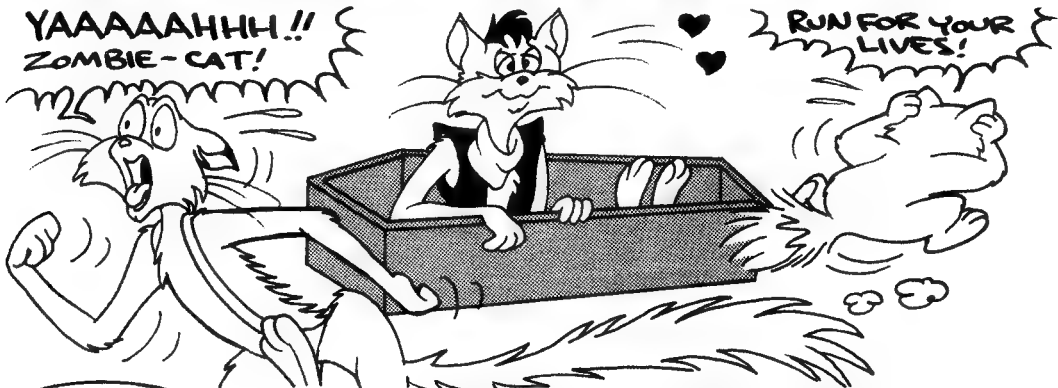
Those of you who recall
this song from grade
school should not be
surprised at what
happens next.....



≡snif - sniff-sniff≡



YAAAAAHHH!!
ZOMBIE-CAT!



POW!





AH-EM!



SANCHO! OLD PAL, WAS THE FISH MARKET YOUR IDEA?



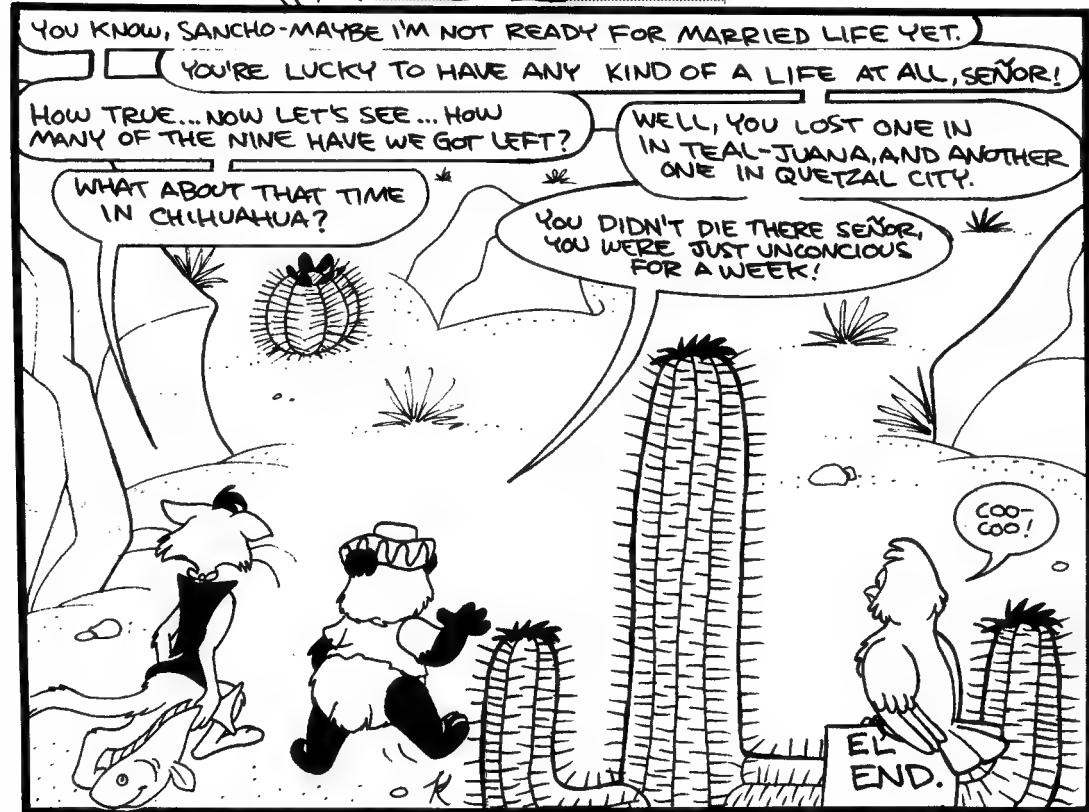
OH, HULLO FELISA. WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?



PLAF!



MOURNING FOR A JERK, THAT'S WHAT!



YOU KNOW, SANCHO-MAYBE I'M NOT READY FOR MARRIED LIFE YET.

YOU'RE LUCKY TO HAVE ANY KIND OF A LIFE AT ALL, SEÑOR!

HOW TRUE... NOW LET'S SEE... HOW MANY OF THE NINE HAVE WE GOT LEFT?

WELL, YOU LOST ONE IN IN TEAL-JUANA, AND ANOTHER ONE IN QUETZAL CITY.

WHAT ABOUT THAT TIME IN CHIHUAHUA?

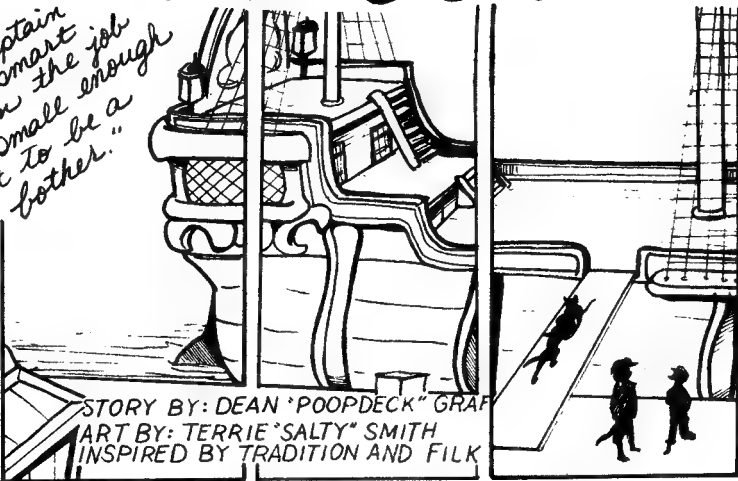
YOU DIDN'T DIE THERE SEÑOR, YOU WERE JUST UNCONCIOUS FOR A WEEK!

COO-COO!

EL END.

Over The Sea: Let's Go, Men!

"Today I shipped aboard the 'Crimson Filly' as a cabin boy. Though this is my first voyage, the Captain decided I was smart enough to learn the job and small enough not to be a bother."



STORY BY: DEAN "POOPDECK" GRAF
ART BY: TERRIE "SALTY" SMITH
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DANNY, EH?
RIGHT, THE
CABIN NEXT
TO MINE IS
YOURS.

GO THERE AND
WASH UP. THEN
REPORT TO THE
FIRST MATE.

OH, THANK
YOU, CAP'N!

I hope he took my reaction as simple excitement at being hired after so many refusals on other ships. I began to wonder if my plan would work...

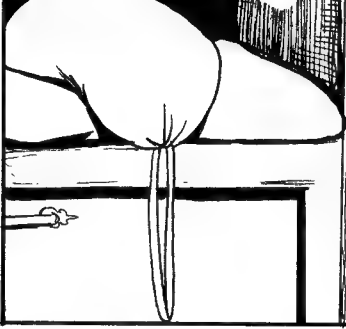


"At last! God willing, perhaps aboard this ship I will find what I have dreamed of all my life!"

Mother thinks I'm going too far. She says I can find what I'm looking for at home."



"She does not understand that I need to be sure before I commit myself. They are on their best behavior when they think someone is watching."



"A girl can't be too careful in choosing a husband..."



GASP!



W-WHO'S THAT?

CAP'N WANTS YE TER WASH. I BRUNG YE WATER-N-SOAP.



OH THANKS VERY MUCH. NO NEED TO TROUBLE YOURSELF FANY MORE. I CAN MANAGE FROM HERE. THANKS YOU CAN GO ABOUT YOUR BUSINESS. THANKS AWFULLY!

IF YE DON'T MIND ME ASK'N, WHY THE BLANKET ON SUCH A HOT DAY?



GOOD QUESTION. UH-BECAUSE WE'RE STILL IN PORT. I DIDN'T WANT TO OFFEND ANY PASSING LADIES.

RIGHT, THANKS, THAT'S
IT! WELL I BETTER
GET BATHED. BYE!

SLAM!

?

RAP
RAP

YES?

SOAP.

SOAP. RIGHT.
CAN'T BATHE
WITHOUT
SOAP, CAN I?

HA. SILLY OF
ME. HAHA.
THANKS.

SLAM!

CUTE AND
MODEST!
OOOOHHH!
THIS UN'S
GOT
POSS'ILITIES!





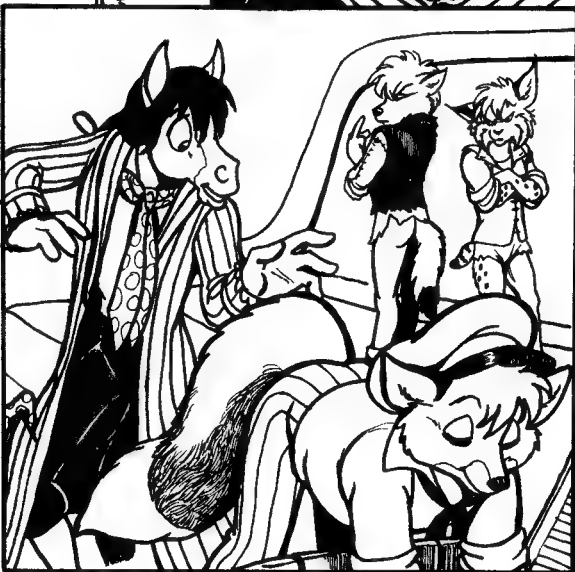
I'VE 'ALF A MIND TO TELL THE CAP'N ABOUT YOU!

YOU'VE HALF A MIND PERIOD! AND I COULD TELL THE CAPTAIN ABOUT YOU, AND WE'D BOTH BE OFF THE SHIP.

I TOLD YOU, CROWE, THAT TENDER BIRD IS MINE!

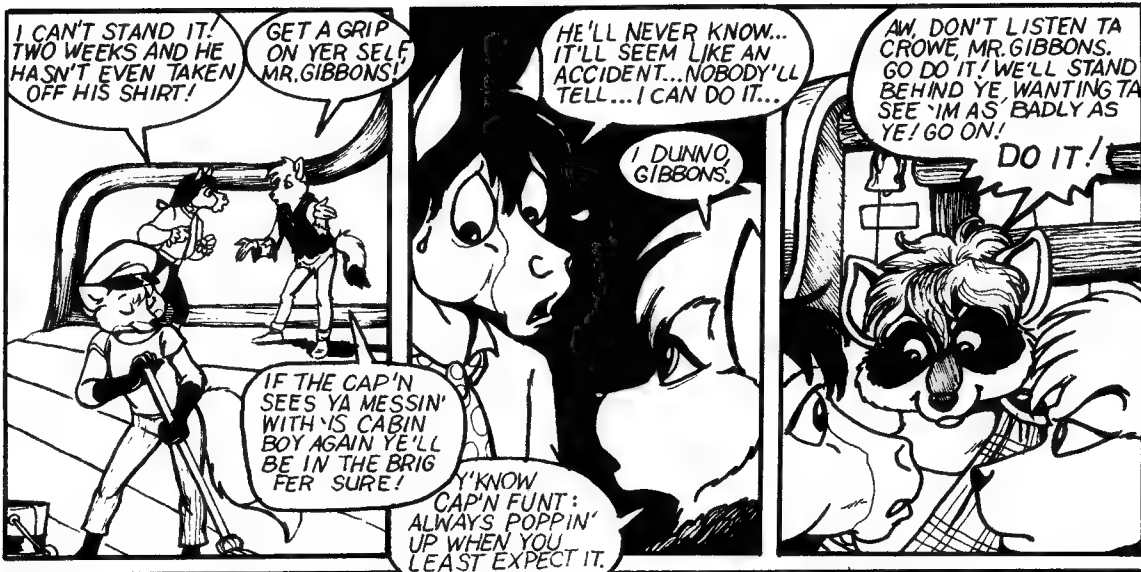


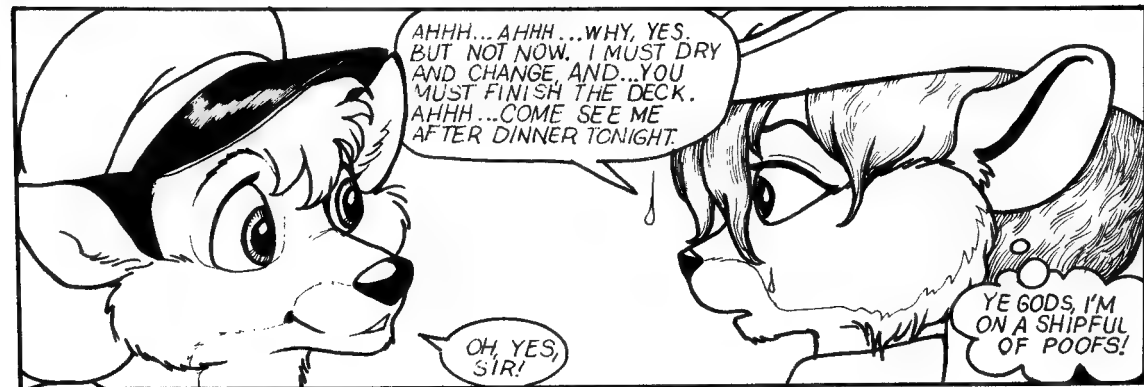
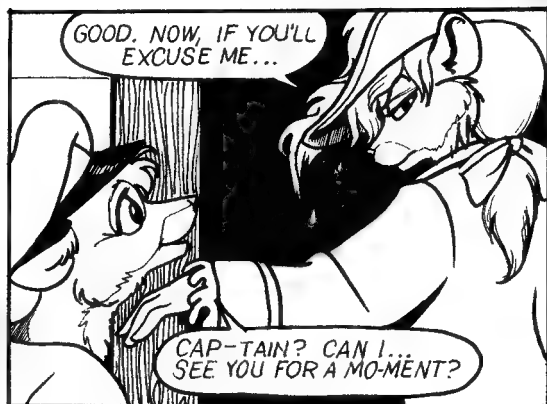
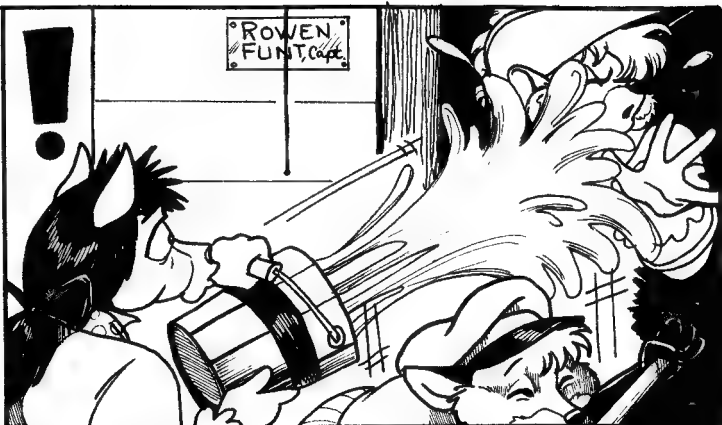
"And modest. The Captain, oh he runs a clean and orderly ship! What a joke this is! What irony! I came aboard ready to settle for the least of many evils..."



"...and instead I find myself forced to choose from a shipful of perfect gentlemen!"







"The rest of that day passed much too slowly. I had found the man of my dreams. That night I would tell him my secret and my reasons, and he would wed us right there. After all, the Captain of a ship can perform marriages at sea."



"Why can he not marry himself?"

"After dinner I took the liberty of not binding myself. Instead, I wore a heavy, loose-fitting shirt. The crew watched, but dared not approach."



DIDJA SEE? CAP'N'S WEARIN' HIS DRESSIN' GOWN!

WATTA HIPPOCRITE!



Once inside, I realized with horror that I had no idea how I should reveal myself to the Captain."



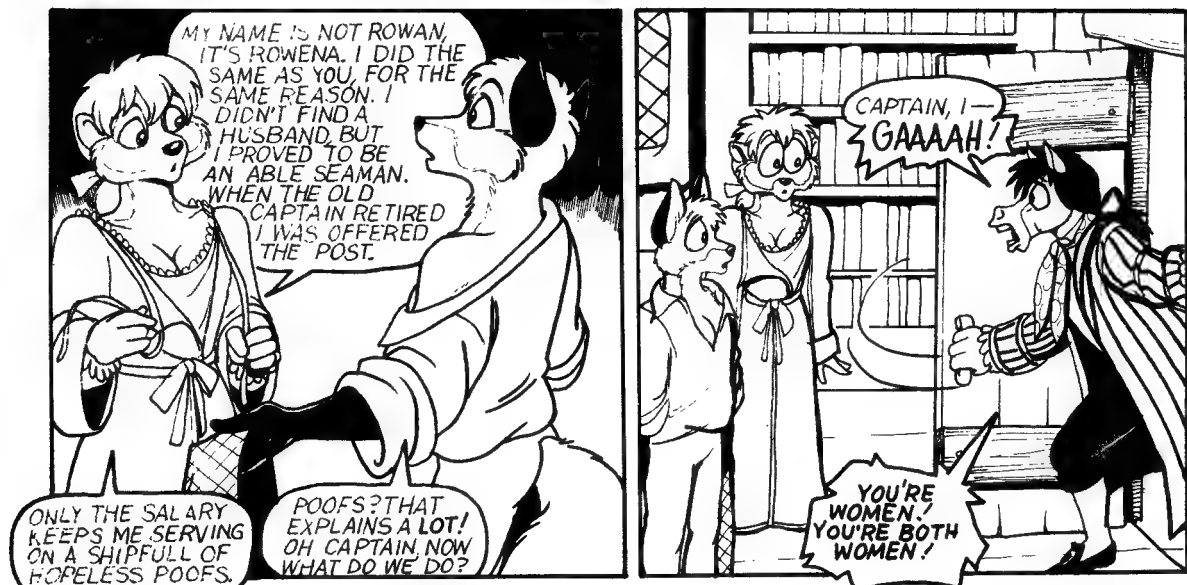
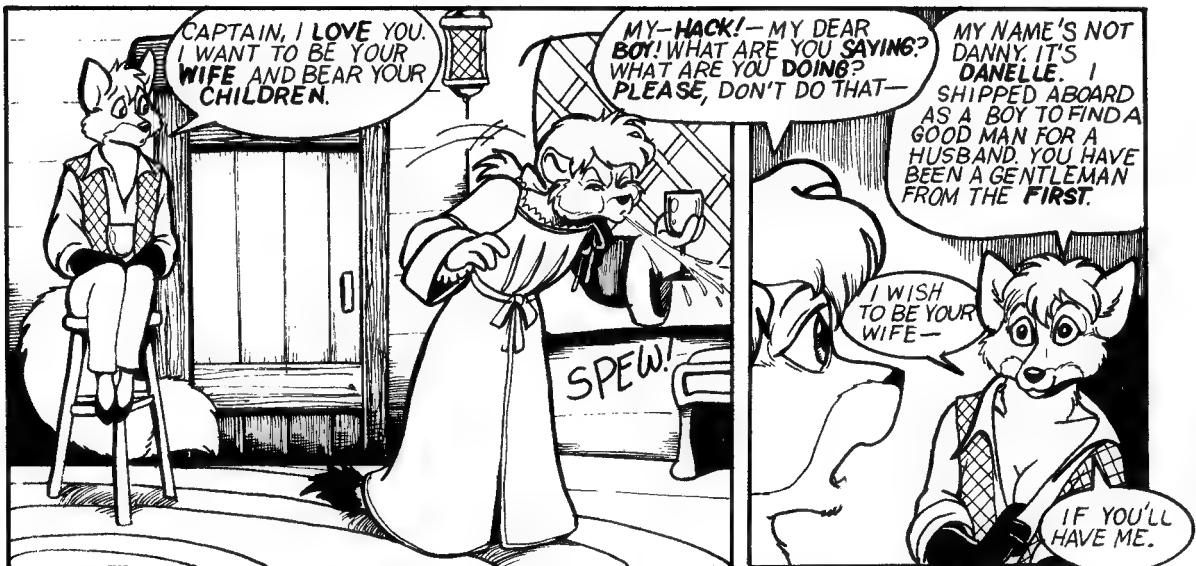
"How should I be? coy?"

Straightforward? Diplomatic?



"Sailors are a plain-spoken lot, but the Captain is no ordinary sailor. Still —"

"Oh, what the hell."



CAPTAIN, WHAT
WILL WE DO?

COURAGE,
SISTER.

THEY'RE WOMEN!
THE CAPTAIN AND
THE CABINBOY
ARE WOMEN!

THEY'RE
BOTH WOMEN!
HEY! LOOK!
THEY'RE
WOMEN!

HOPEFULLY I CAN
REMINDE THEM WHO
HAS BEEN THEIR
CAPTAIN.

YOU SEE, CAPTAIN?
LOOKS LIKE WE ALL
SHIPPED TO SEA

LOOKING FOR
HUSBANDS!

MESSAGE
BIRD
AHOY!

WELL, **THIS** IS JUST BLOODY
WONDERFUL! WOT THE 'ELL
ARE WE SUPPOSED TO DO NOW?
WE'RE ALL WOMEN LOOKING
FOR MEN — AND NOT A MAN
AMONG US!





IT'S FROM THE **LORD SCOTT** IN KINGSTON!
OUR CHANGE OF CARGO'S BEEN CONFIRMED!
WE'RE TO PICK UP A LOAD OF YOUNG MEN
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